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OF

THE GRAND LODGE

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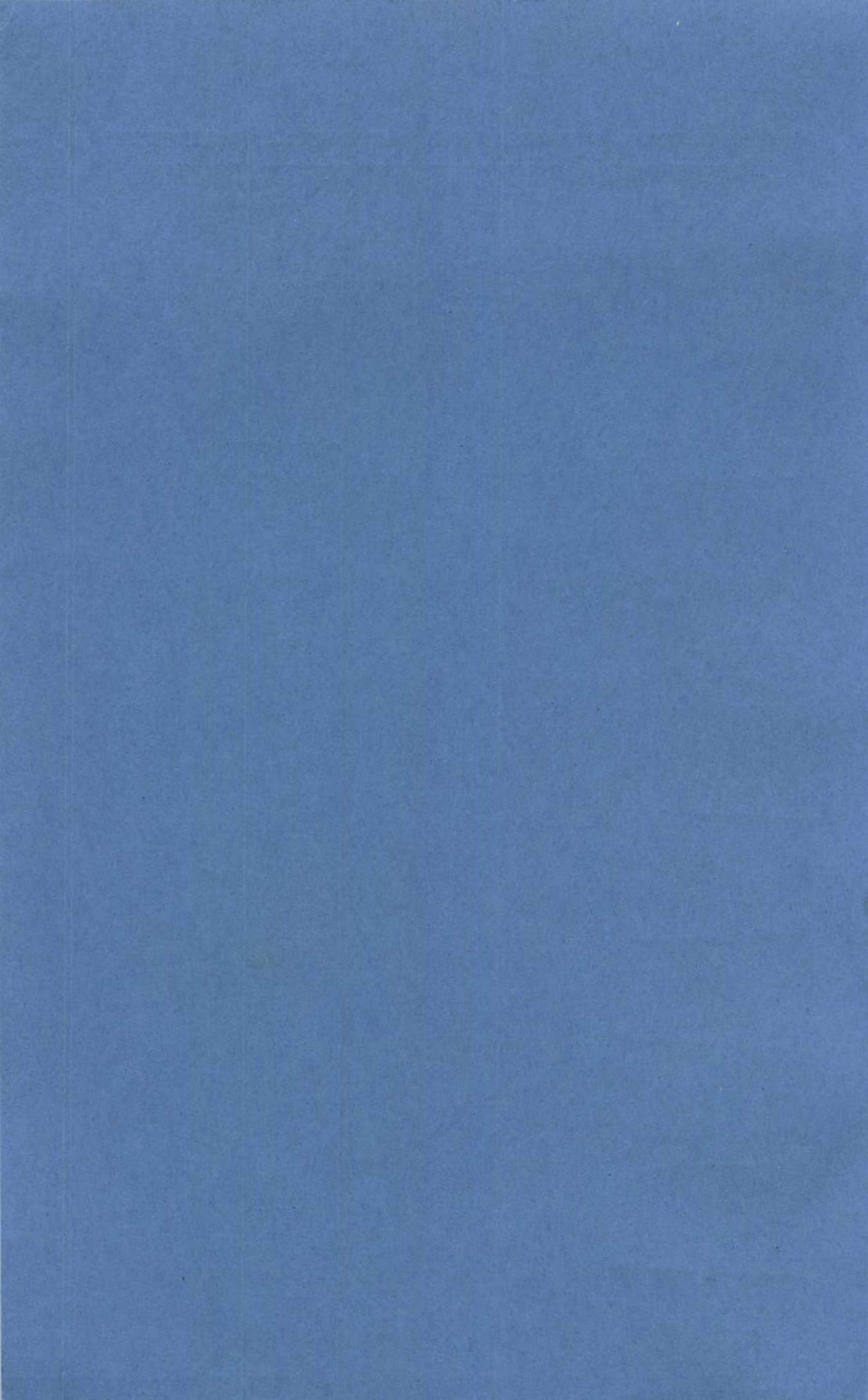
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OF

NORTH CAROLINA



1964



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GEORGE DUDLEY HUMPHREY
Grand Master, 1964-65

GEORGE DUDLEY HUMPHREY

George Dudley Humphrey, One Hundred Eleventh Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, the son of the late Nathan and Sarah Pope Humphrey, was born in Wilmington, North Carolina, on October 17, 1904.

He attended the public schools of New Hanover County, entered North Carolina State College in 1923 and received the degree of Batchelor of Science in Electrical Engineering (cum laude) in June of 1927.

In June of 1927 he began work with the Southern Bell Telephone & Telegraph Company in Atlanta, Georgia, and on October 1, 1927, was assigned to the Dial Equipment Department in the Chief Engineer's Office of said company, where he remained until April 15, 1933, when he resigned and returned to North Carolina to enter Wake Forest College and study law. While at Wake Forest he studied under our late Grand Master, E. W. Timberlake, Jr., whom he admired as a teacher and a Mason.

Having passed the North Carolina Bar examination on August 21, 1933, he returned to Wilmington, North Carolina; and immediately began the practice of law with the Honorable Woodus Kellum, his father-in-law, under the firm name of Kellum & Humphrey, which continued until Mr. Kellum's death on January 17, 1963.

On June 10, 1930, he married Miss Madeleine Kellum, daughter of the late Woodus and Christian Horne Kellum. They have three children: a daughter, Christian Chloris Humphrey of Wilmington, North Carolina; and two sons, George Dudley Humphrey, Jr., of Winston-Salem, North Carolina; and Woodus Kellum Humphrey of Shreveport, Louisiana. They have four grandchildren: George Dudley Humphrey, III; Elizabeth Lerian Humphrey of Winston-Salem; and Rosalind Woodus Humphrey and James Brown McCullough Humphrey of Shreveport.

Mr. Humphrey is an active member of the First Presbyterian Church of Wilmington where he taught the Men's Bible Class for about twenty years. He is a trustee and was a deacon until he was elected to the permanent office of elder in 1947.

Brother Humphrey has not engaged in politics but is actively interested in good government and good public schools, having served two years as President of Parent and Teacher Associations. He served for six years as Attorney for the Town of Carolina Beach, and is a Past President of the Wilmington Lions Club. During World War II, he served as Assistant County Air Raid Warden and served as a member of the War Price and Rationing Board, gasoline and tire division. He is a member of the Cape Fear County Club.

His Masonic career began in Piedmont Lodge No. 447, Atlanta, Georgia, where he was initiated on October 26, 1928; passed on November 9, 1928; and raised on November 23, 1928. He served as a Steward in 1930 and 1931, as Junior Deacon in 1932 and as Senior Deacon until April 1933, when he removed to Wilmington. He affiliated with St. John's Lodge No. 1 on July 10, 1934 and was installed Steward on December 28, 1944, and served as Junior Deacon, Junior Warden and Senior Warden. On December 30, 1948, he was installed as Master. He has for a number of years served on the Budget and Finance Committee of his Lodge.

His connection with the Grand Lodge has continued over a number of years. He qualified by the examination for Certified Lecturer September 18, 1945, and has remained certified since that time.

From 1946 through 1948, because of his knowledge of the ritualistic work, he was a member of the Advisory Committee to the Board of Custodians in revising and publishing the Official Standard of the Work. This was a big task and took much of his time.

From 1946 through 1949 he was also a member of the Advisory Committee to the Code Commission in preparing and publishing the present Code of Masonic Jurisprudence of our Grand Lodge, and he thereby acquired valuable and extensive knowledge of our laws and regulations. He has served since that time on the Grand Lodge Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence.

On July 12, 1949, Brother Humphrey was appointed Judge Advocate of the Grand Lodge, and he served in that office until April 22, 1959, when he resigned to accept appointment as Grand Steward because he could not hold both offices at the same time.

On April 22, 1959, he was appointed Grand Steward and since then has served as Junior Grand Deacon, Junior and Senior Grand Warden, and Deputy Grand Master. His activity in and service to this Grand Lodge is evidenced by his steady advancement in office and continued assignment to boards and committees.

In the fall of 1944, he received the degrees of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite from the Fourth through the Thirty-second, and by virtue of his long and continuously active service in promoting the Rite and Masonry, he received the rank of Knight Commander of the Court of Honour on October 18, 1949, and the Thirty-third Degree on October 25, 1957. He has served this Rite well and by his excellent ritualistic work and general knowledge of its laws and regulations, he has promoted Scottish Masonry in the Valley of Wilmington. He has served his Bodies in official capacity as well as on committees and has been a member of the Executive Committee since July 14, 1960.

Brother Humphrey is a member of Concord Chapter No. 1, Royal Arch Masons, Munson Council No. 4, Royal and Select Masters and of Plantagenet Commandery No. 1, Knights Templar, all of Wilmington, North Carolina. He has served as the presiding officer of three local units. He is a member of Saint John of Patmos Conclave No. 67, of the Red Cross of Constantine, and on May 14, 1946, he became a member of the Grand Council of the Order of High Priesthood of North Carolina. His interest in those Bodies has not diminished, but as Brother Humphrey has said "there are only so many hours in a day, and I have to make a living."

Brother Humphrey has four brothers, what he calls blood-brothers, and three of these are members of St. John's Lodge No. 1, to-wit: Nathan W. Humphrey, P.M., D.D.G.M., 32° KCCH; Allie J. Humphrey, P.M., 32° KCCH, and William O. Humphrey. The fourth brother is the Rev. Edward J. Humphrey of Richmond, Virginia.

PAST GRAND MASTERS

A List Of The Past Grand Masters Of The Grand Lodge Of North Carolina From 1787 To 1963, Inclusive, And Dates When Elected

*Samuel Johnston----------1787
*Richard Caswell-----------1788
*Samuel Johnston--1789, '90, '91
*Wm. R. Davie, 1792, '93, '94, '95, '96, '97, '98
*William Polk----1799, 1800, '01
*John L. Taylor----1802, '03, '04
*John Hall---------1805, '06, '07
*Benjamin Smith---1808, '09, '10
*Robert Williams---1811, '12, '13
*John L. Taylor----1814, '15, '16
*Calvin Jones------1817, '18, '19
*John A. Cameron-----1820, '21
*James Strudwick Smith----1822
*Robert Strange--------1823, '24
*H. G. Burton---------1825, '26
*L. D. Wilson------1827, '28, '29
*R. D. Spaight, Jr.-----1830, '31
*S. J. Baker---------------1832
*S. F. Patterson-------1833, '34
*L. H. Marsteller------1835, '36
*D. W. Stone-------1837, '38, '39
*S. J. Baker---------------1840
*D. L. Crenshaw-----------1841
*J. H. Wheeler---------1842, '43
*P. W. Fanning----1844, '45, '46
*W. F. Collins------1847, '48, '49
*A. T. Jerkins------1850, '51, '52
*Clement H. Jordan----1853, '54
*P. A. Holt------------1855, '56
*Alfred Martin--------1857, '58
*Lewis S. Williams-----1859, '60
*W. G. Hill----------------1861
*E. F. Watson---------1862, '63
*John McCormick-----------1864
*E. G. Reade----------1865, '66
*R. W. Best----------------1867
*Robert B. Vance------1868, '69
*Charles C. Clark------1870, '71
*John Nichols----------1872, '73
*George W. Blount-----1874, '75
*Horace H. Munson----1876, '77
*William R. Cox-------1878, '79
*Henry F. Grainger----1880, '81
*Robert Bingham---1882, '83, '84
*Fabius H. Busbee-----1885, '86
*C. H. Robinson--------1887, '88
*Samuel H. Smith------1889, '90
*Hezekiah A. Gudger---1891, '92
*John W. Cotten--------1893, '94
*Francis M. Moye------1895, '96
*Walter E. Moore------1897, '98
*Richard J. Noble-----------1899
*B. S. Royster---------1900, '01
*H. I. Clark-----------1902, '03
*W. S. Liddell---------1904, '05
*Francis D. Winston----1906, '07
*Samuel M. Gattis------1908, '09
*Richard N. Hackett----1910, '11
*W. B. McKoy--------------1912
*F. M. Winchester---------1913
*John T. Alderman---------1914
*F. P. Hobgood, Jr.---------1915
*A. B. Andrews, Jr.---------1916
*Claude L. Pridgen---------1917
*George S. Norfleet--------1918
*Henry A. Grady-----------1919
*James C. Braswell--------1920
*J. Bailey Owen-----------1921
*James H. Webb-----------1922
*Hubert McN. Poteat-------1923
*James LeG. Everett-------1924
*Leon Cash----------------1925
*John E. Cameron---------1926
*John H. Anderson---------1927
*Raymond C. Dunn--------1928
*John J. Phoenix----------1929
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*R. F. Ebbs----------------1934
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Watson N. Sherrod--------1937
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*Wilkins P. Horton---------1949
*Wallace E. Caldwell-------1950
*Herbert M. Foy-----------1951
William H. White---------1952
Edwin T. Howard---------1953
Robert L. Pugh-----------1954
Charles H. Pugh----------1955
*John C. Vance------------1956
Charles A. Harris---------1957
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Harvey W. Smith---------1960
James W. Brewer---------1961
Charles C. Ricker---------1962
W. Edward Burrier--------1963

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To the Annual Communication of 1965

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* Past Grand Master

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2	Edgar L. Swain†	(684)	Ahoskie, 917 Curtis Street
3	W. Hayes Hurdle†, C.L.	(328)	Engelhard, Box 158
4	Audrey B. Hardison†	(675)	Washington, 209 East 11th Street
5	George C. Elks†	(475)	Grimesland, Box 6
6	Lee F. Dorsey†	(705)	Kinston, 1605 West Washington Ave.
7	William L. Adams†, C.L.	(725)	New Bern, Rt. 4, Box 67
8	Reynold S. Davenport, Sr.† C.L.	(680)	Jacksonvillle, Box 516
9	B. Franklin Hobbs†	(677)	Warsaw, Box 624
10	Nathan W. Humphrey†	(1)	Wrightsville Beach, Box 423
11	Coolidge Wright†, C.L.	(563)	Clarendon, Route 1, Box 242
12	Henry H. Atkinson†	(643)	Proctorville, Box 652
13	Thomas R. Brown, Jr.†, C.L.	(302)	Lillington, 15 E. James St.
14	Nelson W. Newton†, C.L.	(206)	Dunn, Route 2
15	Griffin G. Edgerton†, C.L.	(257)	Kenly, Box 244
16	Rufus J. Hare†	(340)	Pikeville, Route 2, Box 385
17	L. Horace Renfrow†	(527)	Lucama, Box 36
18	George W. Marshbourne†, C.L.	(187)	Spring Hope, Box 27
19	Dix B. Moir, Jr.†	(418)	Rich Square, Box 203
20	Robert M. Bird†, C.L.	(203)	Weldon, 609 Cedar St.
21	James A. Johnson†	(413)	Louisburg, 220 N. Bickett Blvd.
22	Horace L. Macon†, C.L.	(282)	Wake Forest, Route 2
23	G. Ed Wiles†	(198)	Cary, 512 Page St.
24	Bruce C. Ferrell†	(277)	Apex, Route 3, Box 260
25	King M. Willis†	(151)	Sanford, Box 70
26	Robert G. Smith†	(305)	Laurinburg, Box 493
27	William A. Baucom†	(244)	Monroe, Route 3
28	Thomas W. Greene†, C.L.	(127)	Mt. Gilead, Route 3, Box 212
29	Herbert D. Holland†, C.L.	(699)	Asheboro, Box 1
30	Paul L. Coleman†	(272)	Mebane, Box 208
31	Posey L. Bryant†	(352)	Durham, 3813 Pendergrass St.
32	Leon B. Perkinson†	(697)	Butner, Box 65
33	Dr. Olin G. Fritz†	(629)	Walkertown, Box 109
34	William H. Simpson†	(428)	Greensboro, 1231 Westridge Road
35	Bruce H. King†	(167)	Winston-Salem, Rt. 7, Marlborough Lane
36	Robert A. Culler†, C.L.	(674)	High Point, 2405 National Road
37	Floyd M. Burton†	(576)	Spencer, Box 26
38	E. Carol Caton†, C.L.	(720)	Concord, 258 Miramar Drive
39	James W. Russell†	(461)	Matthews, Box 234
40	Clarence R. Welch†, C.L.	(261)	Charlotte (1), Box 2017
41	W. Reid Howe†	(462)	Cramerton, 225 Tenth St.
42	Thomas F. Moore, Sr.†	(505)	Cherryville, 307 Hauser St.
43	George W. Lee†, C.L.	(534)	Polkville, Box 232
44	Hugh R. Sipe†	(709)	Conover, Box 6
45	Artis E. Reynolds†	(593)	Hiddenite, Box 65
46	Percy A. Crater†, C.L.	(434)	Winston-Salem, 104 N. Trade St.
47	J. Earl Watson†, C.L.	(691)	Mount Airy, Box 588
48	Claude Billings†	(483)	Traphill, Route 1
49	Hoyle H. Davis†	(363)	Boone, 306 Crest Drive
51	Charles A. Ramsey†, C.L.	(357)	Bakersville, Box 22
52	Guy A. Duncan†, C.L.	(381)	Bostic, Route 1
53	W. L. Lankford†	(293)	Weaverville, Route 3
54	C. Jackson Huff†, C.L.	(446)	Asheville, 535 Fairview Road
55	John T. Coates, Jr.†	(482)	Saluda, Box 97, "Estes Hill"
56	Glenn D. Brown†	(453)	Clyde, Box 501
57	James C. Long†	(427)	Bryson City, Box 673
58	Earl C. Van Horn†	(146)	Murphy, Box 9

† Past Master

DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND LECTURERS—1964-65

1 Clifton F. Williams, C.L.............(53) Shawboro
2 Elbert W. Cowan†, C.L...............(5) Windsor, Route 3
3 William H. Hurdle †, C.L............(328) Engelhard, Box 158
4 Ray E. Phillips †, C.L..............(675) Washington, Box 564
5 William H. Smith, C.L...............(708) Greenville, Box 688
6 Raymond A. Petty, C.L...............(705) Kinston, Box 1255
7 Charles T. Potter †, C.L............(3) New Bern, Rt. 4, Box 336
8 Jesse G. Graham †, C.L..............(706) Newport, Rt. 2, Box 312
9 Henry M. Johnson†, C.L..............(595) Willard, Box 35
10 Haywood S. King †, C.L.............(319) Wilmington, 114 S. Fifth Avenue
11 Lee R. Cain †, C.L.................(646) Elizabethtown, Box 34
12 John E. Barkley, C.L...............(M-474) St. Pauls, 509 W. Shaw Street
13 James H. Horne †, C.L..............(679) Fayetteville, 524 Vista Drive
14 Oscar V. Clarke, C.L...............(98) Clinton, Route 3, Box 26
15 Score J. Hinton, Jr., C.L..........(165) Middlesex, Rt. 1
16 John H. Best †, C.L................(634) Goldsboro, Rt. 6, Box 485
17 Thomas W. Woodard†, C.L............(527) Lucama, Box 144
18 Jesse H. Felton †, C.L.............(602) Rocky Mount, 1420 Hill Street
19 Earnest E. Odom†, C.L..............(519) Gaston, Box 244
20 Clifton G. Grant †, C.L............(519) Roanoke Rapids, 121 Jackson Street
21 Charles R. Smith†, C.L.............(413) Louisburg, Box 51
22 Douglas M. Wall, C.L...............(M-683) Youngsville, Rt. 1, Box 324
23 James S. Johnson, Jr., C.L.........(M-500) Raleigh, Box 11274
24 John W. Darroch, Jr., C.L..........(302) Lillington, Route 3
25 Elmer A. Guyol, C.L................(172) Sanford, 702 Garden Street
26 John B. Adams, Jr.†, C.L...........(495) Rockingham, 1282 Midway Road
27 Richard H. Long, C.L...............(692) Charlotte, 418 Stilwell Oaks Road
28 Monroe M. Bolen, C.L...............(637) Albemarle, Route 2
29 Gordon L. Brady, Sr. †, C.L........(444) Ramseur, Box 48
30 Oakley G. Hughett, C.L.............(M-409) Burlington, 2727 Catherine Drive
31 Clyde W. Swain, C.L................(M-352) Durham, 2204 Englewood Ave.
32 M. Garland Talton, Jr †, C.L.......(122) Oxford, 715 Baker Street
33 James D. Richardson†, C.L..........(136) Leaksville, Rt. 1, Box 168
34 James O. Thornton †, C.L...........(694) Greensboro, Box 1423
35 Shutt Hartman †, C.L...............(289) Clemmons, Route 2
36 James E. Mosteller †, C.L..........(344) High Point, 914 Montlieu Avenue
37 Frederick D. Johnston †, C.L.......(283) China Grove, 512 Patterson St.
38 Luther H. Walker†, C.L.............(695) Kannapolis, Box 1132
39 Frank L. Jackson, Jr. †, C.L.......(176) Davidson, Box 146
40 Philip Der Yuen, †, C.L............(700) Charlotte, 2220 Cumberland Avenue
41 James C. Fulbright†, C.L...........(590) Lowell, Box 512
42 James T. White†, C.L...............(688) Bessemer City, Rt 1, Gastonia Hwy.
43 John Ralph Harrison†, C.L..........(339) Kings Mountain, Box 226
44 William R. Lockhart†, C.L..........(670) Drexel, Box 272
45 Lon G. Shulenberger †, C.L.........(27) Statesville, 420 S. Race Street
46 Robert B. Smith, Jr. †, C.L........(434) Winston-Salem, 3900 Beacon Drive
47 Evin F. Moore†, C.L................(691) Mount Airy, 717 Haymore Street
48 James M. Joines †, C.L.............(573) Wilbar
49 James E. Spicer†, C.L..............(573) Millers Creek, Route 1
51 Ballard E. Burleson †, C.L.........(598) Elk Park, Box 356
52 Everette E. Knupp†, C.L............(401) Old Fort, Box 412
53 Raymond H. Garrison†, C.L.........(170) Weaverville, RFD 3, Box 205
54 Verne E. Bartlett †, C.L...........(446) Asheville, Box 92
55 Frederick M. McCall, Jr., C.L......(267) Brevard, 306 Maple Street
56 Clarence W. Burrell, C.L...........(M-386) Canton, Box 942
57 Ned A. Hawks†, C.L.................(459) Sylva, Box 666
58 Clarence L. Little †, C.L..........(426) Murphy, Route 4

† Past Master

EMERGENT COMMUNICATION

An Emergent Communication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina was held in the Hall of Fort Bragg Lodge No. 667, located on Yadkin Road in Fort Bragg, North Carolina, on Tuesday, October 29, 1963, at 12:30 p.m. with the following present:

GRAND LODGE OFFICERS

M.·.W.·.W. Edward Burrier, P.M. (31) ---------- *Grand Master*
R.·.W.·.R.Vincent McBryde, P.M. (8) ------ *as Deputy Grand Master*
R.·.W.·.William C. Hammond, Jr. (SW-667) -*as Senior Grand Warden*
R.·.W.·.Don L. Runkle (JW-667) ---------- *as Junior Grand Warden*
R.·.W.·.Henry H. Atkinson, P.M. (643) ---------- *as Grand Treasurer*
R.·.W.·.Horace W. Ziglar, (S-667) ---------- *as Grand Secretary*
W.·.Farris A. Hunt (667) ---------- *as Senior Grand Deacon*
W.·.Benjamin Darden, (667) ---------- *as Junior Grand Deacon*
W.·.Robert N. Bass, Jr. (JGD) (97) ---------- *as Grand Marshal*
W.·.Billy Wilkins (667) ---------- *as Grand Steward*
W.·.Jasper Hussey (667) ---------- *as Grand Steward*
W.·.Fred F. Harding, P.M. (500) ---------- *Grand Tyler*
W.·.Troy G. Robbins, (694) ---------- *Assistant Grand Chaplain*
W.·.A. D. Leon Gray, P.M. (122) ------ *Assistant Grand Chaplain*

PAST GRAND MASTERS

M.·.W.·.Charles A. Harris, P.G.M. (113)

The Grand Lodge was opened in AMPLE FORM by M.·.W.·.Brother W. Edward Burrier, Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, who announced that the purpose of this Emergent Communication was to lay the cornerstone of the new Masonic Temple of Fort Bragg Lodge No. 667, A.F. & A.M.

The Grand Lodge then proceeded to the site of the new Masonic Temple of Fort Bragg Lodge No. 667, A.F. & A.M., located in Spring Lake, North Carolina, for the ceremony.

W.·.Brother Charles G. Harrill (M-667), P.M., represented the Building Authorities; W.·.Brother Robert A. Carter, P.M. (667), represented the Principal Architect; W.·.Brother Robert E. Thomas, P.M. (667), carried the Three Great Lights; and W.·.Brother Fred D. Skipper, P.M. (667), carried the Book of Constitutions. Mr. Frank Jetia, Jr., of Spring Lake, welcomed the Grand Master and Grand Lodge Officers to this City.

The Grand Master delivered appropriate remarks to the assemblage as to the purpose of the occasion, and the cornerstone was laid in accordance with usual Masonic custom.

The following is a list of the contents of the box placed within the cornerstone:

1. Roster of members of Fort Bragg Lodge No. 667.
2. Roster of Officers of Fort Bragg Lodge No. 667 for 1963.
3. Roster of living Past Masters of Fort Bragg Lodge No. 667.
4. Copy of Proceedings of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina for 1963.
5. Spring Lake Times of October 24, 1963.
6. Fayetteville Observer of October 28, 1963.
7. Photograph of Officers of Fort Bragg Lodge for 1963.
8. Map of Spring Lake, North Carolina.
9. Guide to Spring Lake, North Carolina.

Following the completion of the ceremony, the Grand Lodge returned to the Hall of Fort Bragg Lodge No. 667.

W.·.Brother Charles G. Harrill, Master of Fort Bragg Lodge No. 667, expressed the appreciation of the lodge to the Grand Master and others who assisted in the ceremony, and a brief response was made by the Grand Master.

The purpose for which this Emergent Communication was called having been accomplished, the minutes were read and approved, and the Grand Lodge was closed in AMPLE FORM.

W. EDWARD BURRIER, *Grand Master*

HORACE W. ZIGLAR (S-667) *as Grand Secretary*
Attest: CHARLES A. HARRIS, *Grand Secretary*

EMERGENT COMMUNICATION

An Emergent Communication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina was held in the Masonic Temple at 314 West Fifth Street in Greenville, North Carolina, on Wednesday, October 30, 1963, at 12:30 P.M., with the following present:

GRAND LODGE OFFICERS

M.·.W.·.W. Edward Burrier, P.M. (31) ---------------- *Grand Master*
M.·.W.·.Robert L. Pugh, P.G.M., (568) ------ *as Deputy Grand Master*
R.·.W.·.Sam A. Hennis, Jr. (322) -------------- *Senior Grand Warden*
R.·.W.·.Leslie H. Garner (708) ------------ *as Junior Grand Warden*
M.·.W.·.James W. Brewer, P.G.M. (708) ------------ *Grand Treasurer*
R.·.W.·.Robert P. Dudley, P.M. (202) ------------ *as Grand Secretary*
W.·.Edward D. Austin (S-284) ---------- *as Senior Grand Deacon*
W.·.George C. Elks (475) --------------- *as Junior Grand Deacon*
W.·.Alfred A. Kafer, Jr. (3) ----------------- *as Grand Marshal*
W.·.Lundy F. Stokes (284) ------------------- *as Grand Steward*
W.·.Luther Whitehurst, P.M. (708) ------------ *as Grand Steward*
W.·.Thomas I. Moore, P.M. (284) --------------- *as Grand Tyler*
W.·.A. D. Leon Gray (122) --------------- *Asst. Grand Chaplain*
W.·.Troy G. Robbins (694) --------------- *Asst. Grand Chaplain*

PAST GRAND MASTERS

M.·.W.·.Charles C. Ricker, P.G.M. (118)
M.·.W.·.William J. Bundy, P.G.M. (284)
M.·.W.·.Robert L. Pugh, P.G.M. (568)
M.·.W.·.Chas. A. Harris, P.G.M. (113)
M.·.W.·.James W. Brewer, P.G.M. (708)

R.·.W.·.Robert N. Bass, Jr. (97) Junior Grand Deacon

The Grand Lodge was opened in AMPLE FORM by M.·.W.·.W. Edward Burrier, Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, who announced that the purpose of this Emergent Communication was to lay the cornerstone of the new Masonic Temple of Greenville Lodge No. 284 and Crown Point Lodge No. 708, A.F. & A.M.

The Grand Lodge then proceeded to the site of the new Masonic Temple of Greenville Lodge No. 284 and Crown Point Lodge No. 708, A.F. & A.M., located at 12th and Charles in Greenville, North Carolina, for the ceremony.

W.·.Brother Jesse R. Laughinghouse (284) represented the Building Authorities; W.·.Brother J. Henry Harrell (284) represented the Principal Architect; W.·.Brother J. Kos Hester (M-284) carried the Three Great Lights; and W.·.Brother George W. Smith, P.M. (708) carried the Book of Constitutions.

The Grand Master delivered appropriate remarks to the assemblage as to the purpose of the occasion, and the cornerstone was laid in accordance with usual Masonic custom. The oration for the occasion was delivered by William J. Bundy, P.G.M. (284).

The following is a list of the contents of the box placed within the cornerstone:

1. Proceedings of Grand Lodge of North Carolina, year 1946.
2. Proceedings of Grand Lodge of North Carolina, year 1947.
3. Proceedings of Grand Lodge of North Carolina, year 1961.
4. Proceedings of Grand Lodge of North Carolina, year 1962.
5. Proceedings of Grand Lodge of North Carolina, year 1963.
6. By-laws of Greenville Lodge No. 284, A.F. & A.M.
7. Greenville Chapter No. 149 O.E.S. Year Book with list of Officers and Roll.
8. Greenville White Shrine Chapter No. 7 Year Book, list of Officers and Roster.
9. List of Officers of Greenville Lodge No. 284, A.F. & A.M., year 1963.
10. List Past Masters Greenville Lodge No. 284, A.F. & A.M. with year served.
11. Copies of resolutions presented and adopted by Greenville Lodge No. 284 pertaining to new Temple.
12. Minutes of Steering Committee held November 25th, with recommendations. Also letter to members advising of progress of raising funds and on reverse side list of members of Committees.
13. Clippings taken from Daily Reflector and Orphans' Friend pertaining to new Temple.
14. List of Officers of Greenville Chapter No. 50 R. A. M., Hiram Council No. 18 R. & S. M. and Bethlehem Commandery No. 29 K. T. for year 1963.
15. Mark Master Coin with date October 30, 1963 inscribed thereon.
16. Four 175 Anniversary Grand Lodge of North Carolina coins.
17. List of Officers and Chapter D.A.D., Creasy K. Proctor Chapter Order DeMolay.
18. Certificate issued to pay for the Temple at 5th & Pitts Street dedicated 1947.
19. $100 Bond issued in 1902 to pay for the original Masonic Temple of Greenville Lodge No. 284, A.F. A.M., which burned in February, 1910.
20. Copy Masonic Bulletin issued by Greenville Masonic Bodies monthly.
21. Maltese Cross of Sir Knight Jesse Wilson Brown presented by his daughter, Mrs. Ruth Aman, in memory of her father.
22. Clipping and photograph of Astronaut Gordon Cooper receiving the 33rd degree in Washington, D.C., October 25, 1963

23. Copy of oration delivered by Past Grand Master William J. Bundy at cornerstone laying October 30, 1963.
24. List of Officers Crown Point Lodge No. 708, A.F. & A.M., year 1963.
25. List of Past Masters Crown Point Lodge No. 708, A.F. & A.M. with year served.
26. List of Charter Members of Crown Point Lodge No. 708, A.F. & A.M.
27. By-Laws of Crown Point Lodge No. 708, A.F. & A.M.
28. Photo print of original Masonic Temple of Greenville Lodge with some historical facts pertaining to this Temple furnished by Brother David J. Whichard, Jr., Owner of Daily Reflector.

Following completion of the Ceremony, the Grand Lodge returned to the Hall of Greenville Lodge No. 284, where Worshipful Brother Leslie H. Garner, Past Master of Crown Point Lodge No. 708, expressed the appreciation of the two lodges to the Grand Master and others for their contributions to the occasion. Worshipful Brother J. J. Gilbert, Past Master of Greenville Lodge No. 284, who contributed most of the land on which the new building is being erected, spoke briefly.

The purpose for which this Emergent Communication was called having been accomplished, the minutes were read and approved and the Grand Lodge was closed in AMPLE FORM.

W. EDWARD BURRIER, *Grand Master*

ROBERT P. DUDLEY *as Grand Secretary*

Attest: CHARLES A. HARRIS, *Grand Secretary*

EMERGENT COMMUNICATION

An Emergent Communication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina was held in the Hall of Oxford Lodge No. 122, A.F. & A.M., Oxford, North Carolina, on Friday, November 1, 1963, with the following present:

GRAND LODGE OFFICERS

M.˙.W.˙.W. Edward Burrier, P.M. (31) ---------------- *Grand Master*
M.˙.W.˙.William J. Bundy, P.G.M. (284) ----- as *Deputy Grand Master*
R.˙.W.˙.Sam A. Hennis, Jr., P.M. (322) -------- *Senior Grand Warden*
R.˙.W.˙.Robert L. Martin, P.M. (589) ------- as *Junior Grand Warden*
R.˙.W.˙.Claude V. Morgan, P.M. (122) ----------- as *Grand Treasurer*
R.˙.W.˙.Eli T. Regan, P.M. (122) ---------------- as *Grand Secretary*
W.˙.Marshall E. Propst (M-728) --------- as *Senior Grand Deacon*
W.˙.Robert N. Bass, Jr., P.M. (97) --------- *Junior Grand Deacon*
W.˙.William A. Hooks, P.M. (84) ---------------- *Grand Marshal*
W.˙.William C. Silver, Jr., P.M. (292) --------- as *Grand Steward*
W.˙.Linwood E. Wade, P.M. (405) ------------ as *Grand Steward*
W.˙.Fred F. Harding, P.M. (500) ------------------ *Grand Tyler*
W.˙.Troy G. Robbins (694) ---------------- *Asst. Grand Chaplain*
W.˙.Julian W. Helms (728) -------------------- *Grand Historian*
W.˙.A. D. Leon Gray, P.M. (122) ---------- *Asst. Grand Chaplain*

PAST GRAND MASTERS

William J. Bundy, P.G.M., (284) Charles A. Harris, P.G.M., (113)

The Grand Lodge was opened in AMPLE FORM by M.˙.W.˙.Brother W. Edward Burrier, Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, who announced that the purpose of this Emergent Communication was to lay the cornerstone of the new Boys Cottage No. 1 on the campus of the Oxford Orphanage.

The Grand Lodge then proceeded to the site of the new Boys Cottage No. 1 located at Oxford Orphanage in Oxford, North Carolina, for the ceremony.

W.˙.Brother Sam A. Oliver, Jr. (M-113) represented the Building Authorities; W.˙.Brother M. A. Ham represented the Principal Architect; W.˙.Brother J. H. Landrum carried the Three Great Lights; and W.˙.Brother Maurice E. Parham (122) carried the Book of Constitutions.

Brother A. D. Leon Gray delivered appropriate remarks to the assemblage as to the purpose of the occasion, and the cornerstone was laid in accordance with usual Masonic custom. The oration for the occasion was reflected in the happy smiles of the children at Oxford Orphanage.

The following is a list of the contents of the box placed within the cornerstone:

The Proceedings of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina—1963.

The Proceedings of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of North Carolina—1963.

The Proceedings of the Grand Council, Royal and Select Masters in North Carolina—1963.

The Proceedings of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of the State of North Carolina—1963.

The Orphans' Friend and Masonic Journal, Volume LXXXVIII, No. 19, October 1, 1963.

The Orphans' Friend and Masonic Journal, Volume LXXXVIII, No. 20, October 15, 1963.

A Brochure on Oxford Orphanage.

A Pamphlet, "The Oxford Orphanage"

Following the completion of the ceremony, the Grand Lodge returned to the Hall of Oxford Lodge No. 122.

W∴Brother A. D. Leon Gray, Superintendent of Oxford Orphanage, expressed the appreciation of the Orphanage to the Grand Master and others who assisted in the ceremony, and a brief response was made by the Grand Master.

The purpose for which this Emergent Communication was called having been accomplished, the minutes were read and approved, and the Grand Lodge was closed in AMPLE FORM.

W. EDWARD BURRIER, *Grand Master*

ELI T. REGAN (S-122), as *Grand Secretary*

Attest: CHARLES A. HARRIS, *Grand Secretary*

EMERGENT COMMUNICATION

An Emergent Communication of The Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina was held in the Hall of Person Lodge No. 113, A.F. & A.M., of Roxboro, North Carolina, on Friday, November 22, 1963, at 2:00 P.M., with the following present:

GRAND LODGE OFFICERS

Name	Office
M.'.W.'.W. Edward Burrier, P.M. (31)	*Grand Master*
R.'.W.'.Dallas R. Taylor, P.M. (113)	as *Deputy Grand Master*
R.'.W.'.Oscar C. Hull, P.M. (113)	as *Senior Grand Warden*
R.'.W.'.James W. Green, P.M. (113)	as *Junior Grand Warden*
R.'.W.'.H. Dewey Young (Tr.-113)	as *Grand Treasurer*
R.'.W.'.William B. Hicks, P.M. (113)	as *Grand Secretary*
W.'.James A. Johnson, P.M. (413)	as *Senior Grand Deacon*
W.'.Herbert D. Holland, P.M. (699)	as *Junior Grand Deacon*
W.'.Robert N. Bass, Jr., J. G. D. (97)	as *Grand Marshal*
W.'.John T. Bradsher, P.M. (113)	as *Grand Steward*
W.'.M. Banks Berry, P.M. (113)	as *Grand Steward*
W.'.Charlie F. Gentry (S.W.-113)	as *Grand Tyler*
W.'.A. D. Leon Gray (122)	*Asst. Grand Chaplain*
W.'.Troy G. Robbins (694)	*Asst. Grand Chaplain*

PAST GRAND MASTERS

Charles A. Harris, P.G.M. (113)

The Grand Lodge was opened in AMPLE FORM by M.'.W.'.W. Edward Burrier, Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, who announced that the purpose of this Emergent Communication was to lay the cornerstone for the new Temple of Person Lodge No. 113, A.F. & A.M.

The Grand Lodge then proceeded to the site of the new Masonic Temple of Person Lodge No. 113, A.F. & A.M., located on Leasburg Street in Roxboro, North Carolina, for the ceremony.

W.'.Brother Sam A. Oliver, Jr., M-113, represented the Building Authorities; W.'.Brother R. Manley Whitfield, P. M. (113), represented the Principal Architect; W.'.Brother Edward L. Bradsher, P.M. (113), carried the Three Great Lights; and W.'.Brother Arthur H. Rimmer, P.M. (113) carried the Book of Constitutions.

The Grand Master delivered appropriate remarks to the assemblage as to the purpose of the occasion, and the cornerstone was laid in accordance with usual Masonic custom by M.'.W.'.Charles A. Harris, P.G.M., G.S., acting as Grand Master. The oration for the occasion was delivered by J. W. Green, P.M. (113).

The following is a list of the contents of the box placed within the cornerstone:

Proceedings of the Grand Lodge, 1958.

North Carolina Masonic Directory, 1963-64.

Grand Master's report of the Annual Communication for the Grand Lodge, 1958.

Past Masters of Person Lodge No. 113 living as of November 22, 1963.

Roster of Officers and members of Person Lodge No. 113 as of November, 1963.

Roster of Officers and members of Order of Eastern Star, 1963.

Copy of November, 1963, Issue of Tar Heel Star News.

Copy of Person Lodge No. 113 Centennial Celebration, November 21, 1947.

Roster of Officers and members, Roxboro Chapter No. 92 and Mark.

Roster of Officers and members, Roxboro Shrine Club.

Copy of By-Laws of Person Lodge No. 113.

Ninetieth Annual Report of Oxford Orphanage.

Copy of Ladies Night Program for Person Lodge No. 113, October 15, 1963.

List of contents of cornerstone box.

Copy of local paper, Courier-Times.

Copy of Durham Morning Herald.

The box was opened after the ceremony and a news item was included pertaining to the death of the President of the U. S.:

> News was received by radio just as this Emergent Communication began of the shooting of John Fitzgerald Kennedy, President of the United States, by an assassin in Dallas, Texas.
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> The President died just as the Grand Master and his Officers were leaving the lodge for the site of the new building for the ceremony of laying the cornerstone of the new Temple of Person Lodge No. 113.
>
> The Grand Chaplain opened the meeting at the site with an appropriate prayer for the State and the Nation.

Following the completion of the ceremony, the Grand Lodge returned to the Hall of Person Lodge No. 113.

W.·.Brother Sam A. Oliver, Jr., Master of Person Lodge No. 113, expressed the appreciation of the lodge to the Grand Master and others who assisted in the ceremony, and a brief response was made by the Grand Master.

The purpose for which this Emergent Communication was called having been accomplished, the minutes were read and approved, and the Grand Lodge was closed in AMPLE FORM.

W. EDWARD BURRIER, *Grand Master*

WILLIAM B. HICKS, (S-113) *as Grand Secretary*
Attest: CHARLES A. HARRIS, *Grand Secretary*

EMERGENT COMMUNICATION

An Emergent Communication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina was held in the Masonic Temple, at 80 Broadway, Asheville, North Carolina, on Friday, December 20, 1963 at 2:00 p.m., with the following present:

GRAND LODGE OFFICERS

M.'.W.'.Charles A. Harris, P.G.M. (113) .... *as Grand Master*
M.'.W.'.Charles C. Ricker, P.G.M. (118) .... *as Deputy Grand Master*
R.'.W.'.H. Arnold Hutchins, (-118) .... *as Senior Grand Warden*
R.'.W.'.Coy Jackson Huff, P.M. (446) .... *as Junior Grand Warden*
R.'.W.'.G. Bland Church, P.M. (118) .... *as Grand Treasurer*
R.'.W.'.Reuben Barnitz, P.M. (118) .... *as Grand Secretary*
W.'.Herbert D. Holland, P.M. (699) ...... *as Senior Grand Deacon*
W.'.J. C. Long, P.M. (427) .... *as Junior Grand Deacon*
W.'.Charles A. Ramsey, P.M. (357) .... *as Grand Marshal*
W.'.Waits W. Hughes, P.M. (118) .... *as Grand Steward*
W.'.Roy G. Clark, P.M. (561) .... *as Grand Steward*
W.'.Henry F. Babb, (118) .... *as Grand Tyler*
W.'.Troy G. Robbins, (694) .... *Asst. Grand Chaplain*

PAST GRAND MASTERS

M.'.W.'.James E. Shipman, P.G.M. (387)
M.'.W.'.Maxwell E. Hoffman, P.G.M. (118)
M.'.W.'.Charles C. Ricker, P.G.M. (118)
M.'.W.'.Charles A. Harris, P.G.M. (113)

The Grand Lodge was opened in FORM by M.'.W.'. Charles A. Harris, Past Grand Master, who announced that this Emergent Communication was called for the purpose of conducting Masonic Graveside Rites over the remains of our deceased Brother, Most Worshipful Brother John Catlett Vance, Past Grand Master, who passed away on Wednesday morning, December 18, 1963.

BIOGRAPHY

JOHN CATLETT VANCE, born November 8, 1883. Son of David and Alice Catlett Vance, grandson of General Robert Brank Vance, Grand Master in 1868-69, member of Congress and later Confederate General; grand-nephew of Zebulon Baird Vance, renowned Civil War Governor of North Carolina. Initiated January 5, 1914; Passed January 19, 1914; Raised January 26, 1914 in Mount Hermon Lodge No. 118. Coroneted with the Honorary 33rd Degree of the A. & A. S. R. in 1925. Honorary Member of Biltmore Lodge No. 446, Asheville; Andrews Lodge No. 529, Andrews; Swannanoa Lodge No. 561, Swannanoa; Black Mountain

Lodge No. 663, Black Mountain; West Asheville Lodge No. 665; Blackmer Lodge No. 170, Weaverville; Dunn's Rock Lodge No. 267, Brevard; French Broad Lodge No. 292, Marshall; Vance Lodge No. 293, Stocksville; Clay Lodge No. 301, Hayesville; Bald Creek Lodge No. 397, Swiss; Hominy Lodge No. 491, Candler; and John A. Nichols Lodge No. 650, Asheville.

The Acting Grand Master then conducted the usual services in the Lodge Hall, following which the Grand Marshal formed the procession which proceeded to the First Baptist Church in Asheville, where the funeral services were conducted by the Pastor, the Reverend Doctor W. Perry Crouch, who was assisted by the Reverend H. Hunt Comer, Rector of Grace Episcopal Church, Asheville.

Pallbearers were: Brothers Maxwell E. Hoffman, Chas. C. Ricker, H. Arnold Hutchins, Emett D. Chandler, F. Gudger Cabe, and Reuben Barnitz.

At the conclusion of the services at the Church, the remains were conveyed to the Riverside Cemetery in Asheville, where they were interred with Masonic Honors, the burial services having been conducted by Most Worshipful Brother Charles A. Harris, Past Grand Master, following which the Grand Lodge returned to the Masonic Temple in Asheville.

The purpose for which this Emergent Communication was called having been accomplished, the minutes were read and approved and the Grand Lodge was closed in FORM by the Acting Grand Master.

REUBEN BARNITZ, *Acting Grand Secretary*

Attest: CHARLES A. HARRIS, *Grand Secretary*

EMERGENT COMMUNICATION

An Emergent Communication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina was held in the Hall of Millbrook Lodge No. 97, A.F. & A.M., of Millbrook, North Carolina, on Friday, January 10, 1964 at 8:00 p.m., with the following present:

GRAND LODGE OFFICERS

M.˙.W.˙.W. Edward Burrier, P.M. (31) ---------------- *Grand Master*
M.˙.W.˙.Robert L. Pugh, P.G.M. (568) ------ *as Deputy Grand Master*
R.˙.W.˙.Sam A. Hennis, Jr., P.M. (322) -------- *Senior Grand Warden*
R.˙.W.˙.Arnold J. Koonce, P.M. (716) ---------- *Junior Grand Warden*
M.˙.W.˙.Charles H. Pugh, P.G.M. (369) ---------- *as Grand Treasurer*
M.˙.W.˙.Charles A. Harris, P.G.M. (113) ------------ *Grand Secretary*
W.˙.Robert N. Bass, Jr. P.M., (JGD) (97) ---- *as Sr. Gr. Deacon*
M.˙.W.˙.James W. Brewer, P.G.M. (GT) (708) -- *as Junior Gr. Deacon*
M.˙.W.˙.William J. Bundy, P.G.M. (284) ---------- *as Grand Marshal*
W.˙.Maurice E. Walsh, P.M. (407) -------------- *Grand Steward*
W.˙.George Dewey Aiken, (M-97) ------------- *as Grand Steward*
W.˙.Robert R. O'Neal, (97) --------------------- *as Grand Tyler*
W.˙.John M. Moore, P.M. (97) ---------------- *as Grand Chaplain*

PAST GRAND MASTERS

M.˙.W.˙.James W. Brewer, P.G.M. (708)
M.˙.W.˙.William J. Bundy, P.G.M. (284)
M.˙.W.˙.Charles H. Pugh, P.G.M. (369)
M.˙.W.˙.Robert L. Pugh, P.G.M. (568)
M.˙.W.˙.Charles A. Harris, P.G.M. (113)

The Grand Lodge was opened in AMPLE FORM by M.˙.W.˙.W. Edward Burrier, Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, who announced that the purpose of this Emergent Communication was to install W.˙.Brother William Watson Mims, Jr., as Grand Steward of the Grand Lodge to replace W.˙.Brother Frederick Harding Trethewey, whose resignation dated December 11, 1963 had been accepted by the Grand Master.

The ceremony of installation was conducted by Most Worshipful Brother Robert L. Pugh, P.G.M., with Most Worshipful Brother William J. Bundy, P.G.M., acting as Grand Marshal.

Following the completion of the installation ceremony, Brother Mims was recognized and he responded briefly, pledging his best efforts in behalf of Masonry in North Carolina.

In addition to the brethren whose names have been mentioned above, several members of Millbrook Lodge No. 97

were present for this Emergent Communication, including Brothers George D. Norwood, P.M., Albert L. Holmes, Chaplain, Robert H. Nichols and others. Brother Robert P. Dudley, Assistant to the Grand Secretary and Past Master of Cleveland Lodge No. 202, was also present.

The Grand Master expressed regret at the resignation of Brother Trethewey, which was occasioned by the pressure of business affairs, but stated that he was happy that a man of Brother Mims' calibre was available to replace Brother Trethewey in the Grand Lodge line.

The purpose for which this Emergent Communication was called having been accomplished, the minutes were read and approved and the Grand Lodge was closed in AMPLE FORM.

W. EDWARD BURRIER, *Grand Master*

Attest: CHARLES A. HARRIS, *Grand Secretary*

EMERGENT COMMUNICATION

An Emergent Communication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina was held in the Hall of Copeland Lodge No. 390, Copeland, North Carolina on Monday, January 27, 1964, at 7:30 p.m., with the following present:

GRAND LODGE OFFICERS

M.·.W.·.W. Edward Burrier, P.M. (31) ---------- *Grand Master*
R.·.W.·.Curtis R. Sawyers, (M-390) ---------- *as Deputy Grand Master*
R.·.W.·.James W. Cook, P.M. (390) ---------- *as Senior Grand Warden*
R.·.W.·.Warren F. Alberty, P.M. (390) ---------- *as Junior Grand Warden*
R.·.W.·.Johnnie A. Collins, (Tr.-390) ---------- *as Grand Treasurer*
R.·.W.·.Jobie M. Hardy, (S-390) ---------- *as Grand Secretary*
W.·.Billy C. Smith, (390) ---------- *as Senior Grand Deacon*
W.·.Herbert G. Johnson, (JD-390) ---------- *as Junior Grand Deacon*
W.·.J. Earl Watson, P.M. (691) ---------- *as Grand Marshal*
W.·.Leonard Ray Moser, P.M. (390) ---------- *as Grand Steward*
W.·.Osbon Gordon Carroll, (390) ---------- *as Grand Steward*
W.·.Festus E. Layne, (390) ---------- *as Grand Tyler*
W.·.Troy G. Robbins, (694) ---------- *Grand Chaplain*

PAST GRAND MASTERS

M.·.W.·.Charles A. Harris, P.G.M. (113)

The Grand Lodge was opened in AMPLE FORM by M.·.W.·.W. Edward Burrier, Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, who announced that the purpose of this Emergent Communication was to dedicate the new Masonic Temple of Copeland Lodge No. 390, A.F. & A.M.

The Ceremony of Dedication was then conducted in accordance with the usual Masonic custom. W.·.Brother Robert S. Burrus, P.M., acted as Master in the Ceremony; W.·. Brother William Howard Hardy, P.M., was the Principal Architect; W.·.Brother Warren F. Alberty, P.M., was the bearer of the Taper; W.·.Brother George L. Lawrence, P. M., was the Bearer of the Constitution; and W.·.Brother Alexander M. Moseley, P.M., was the Bearer of the Three Great Lights.

The Ceremony having been completed, the Grand Master delivered the Oration for the occasion.

W.·.Brother Malcolm H. Cagle, Master of Granite Lodge No. 322, asked permission to approach the East and surprised the Grand Master with the presentation of a Certificate of Honorary Membership in Granite Lodge.

W.·.Brother Warren Alberty, P.M., was recognized and he informed the Grand Master and the brethren present of

the outstanding contributions that had been made to the community and to the lodge over the years by W∴Brother Julius Grover Wood, Past Master, who gave the land on which the Temple is erected as well as that on which the Copeland Schools and other community buildings now stand. At the request of the Grand Master, the Junior Grand Deacon escorted this venerable Brother to the East where he was properly recognized and accorded the Private Grand Honors.

W∴Brother William Howard Hardy, Past Master of Copeland Lodge and longtime member of the Board of Custodians, informed the brethren present that in 1958, when Most Worshipful Brother Burrier was appointed in the Grand Lodge line, Copeland Lodge No. 390 decided it wanted him to dedicate their building, and that they proceeded with their plans for retirement of the mortgage on the building during his term of office, which at that time appeared to be scheduled for 1966-1967. However, due to two deaths and one resignation of Grand Lodge Officers, Brother Burrier had reached this exalted station three years ahead of time, so the lodge was forced to exert extraordinary efforts in order to bring about this mortgage retirement. He advised the brethren that this task was recently accomplished, and the ceremony of burning the mortgage on the building was then conducted in open lodge, with Brother Hardy in charge of this ceremony.

Worshipful Brother Curtis R. Sawyers, Master of Copeland Lodge No. 390, expressed the appreciation of the lodge to the Grand Master and others for their contributions to the occasion.

The purpose for which this Emergent Communication was called having been accomplished, the minutes were read and approved and the Grand Lodge was closed in AMPLE FORM.

W. EDWARD BURRIER, *Grand Master*

JOBIE M. HARDY *as Grand Secretary*
Attest: CHARLES A. HARRIS, *Grand Secretary*

EMERGENT COMMUNICATION

An Emergent Communication of The Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina was held on Wednesday, April 15, 1964, at 7:30 p.m. in the Hall of Person Lodge No. 113, A.F. & A.M., located on Leasburg Street in Roxboro, North Carolina, with the following present:

GRAND LODGE OFFICERS

M.'.W.'.Wm. Edward Burrier, P.M. (31) ---------- *Grand Master*
R.'.W.'.James W. Green, Sr., P.M. (113) ---- *as Deputy Grand Master*
R.'.W.'.James W. Bolick, P.M. (113) -------- *as Senior Grand Warden*
R.'.W.'.Ronald E. Hicks, (JW-113) --------- *as Junior Grand Warden*
R.'.W.'.H. Dewey Young, (Tr-113) ---------- *as Grand Treasurer*
R.'.W.'.William B. Hicks, P.M. (113) --------- *as Grand Secretary*
W.'.Charles W. Boyette, (SD-113) ------- *as Senior Grand Deacon*
W.'.James B. Latta, (JD-113) ---------- *as Junior Grand Deacon*
W.'.Robert N. Bass, Jr., JGD (97) ---------- *as Grand Marshal*
W.'.Nathaniel W. Whitfield, Jr. (113) --------- *as Grand Steward*
W.'.James W. Green, Jr. (113) -------------- *as Grand Steward*
W.'.Andrew P. Wooten, (T-113) -------------- *as Grand Tyler*
W.'.Troy G. Robbins, (694) ------------------ *Grand Chaplain*
W.'.Nathaniel C. Dean, P.M. (150) ------------ *Grand Lecturer*

GRAND LODGE OFFICERS PRESENT

R.'.W.'.Sam A. Hennis, Jr., S.G.W. (322)
M.'.W.'.Charles A. Harris, P.G.M. (113)
W.'.Robert N. Bass, Jr., J.G.D. (97)
W.'.Fred F. Harding, Grand Tyler (500)

The Grand Lodge was opened in AMPLE FORM by M.'.W.'.Wm. Edward Burrier, Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, who announced that the purpose of this Emergent Communication was to dedicate the new Temple of Person Lodge No. 113, A.F. & A.M.

The Grand Master dispensed with Labor and about 200 guests were admitted for the Ceremony. M.'.W.'.Brother Charles A. Harris, P.G.M., a member of Person Lodge No. 113, conducted the Ceremony at the request of the Grand Master.

W.'.Brother Charlie F. Gentry, Master of Person Lodge No. 113, acted as Master in the Ceremony, and W.'.Brother Sam A. Oliver, Jr., Past Master, was the Principal Architect. W.'.Brother Ernest M. Bailey, Past Master, was the Bearer of the Taper; W.'.Brother Dallas R. Taylor, Past Master, was the Bearer of the Constitution; and W.'.Brother Oscar C. Hull, Past Master, was the Bearer of the Three Great Lights.

Following the completion of the Ceremony, W.'.Brother James W. Green, Past Master, gave a brief history of Person Lodge No. 113, and M.'.W.'.Brother Wm. Edward Burrier, Grand Master, delivered the Oration.

Music for the occasion was rendered by Mrs. Curtis Oakley, organist, and Miss Carol Lamm, pianist, and solos were by Mrs. Clyde Brooks, The Reverend Ben Berry, and Mr. Glenn Slaughter. Scripture Reading was by the Reverend Kermit R. Wheeler, Pastor of Long Memorial Methodist Church.

Those who were not Master Masons were invited to the dining room on the first floor, and Labor was resumed in the Grand Lodge.

Worshipful Brother Charlie F. Gentry, Master, expressed the lodge's appreciation to the Grand Master and others who took part in the Ceremony.

The several Grand Lodge Officers present, as well as other prominent Masons from Virginia and North Carolina were recognized, and it was brought to the attention of the brethren that one Grand Lodge Officer, Worshipful Brother Fred F. Harding, Grand Tyler, has been a Master Mason almost 65 years, and is one of two surviving charter members of Raleigh Lodge No. 500, which received its charter in January, 1900. Another recipient of the Diamond Jubilee 60-Year Award present was Brother Marcellus E. Winston, member of Youngsville Lodge No. 377.

The purpose for which this meeting was called having been accomplished, the minutes were read and approved and the Grand Lodge was closed in AMPLE FORM.

W. EDWARD BURRIER, *Grand Master*

WILLIAM B. HICKS, *as Grand Secretary*

Attest: CHARLES A. HARRIS, *Grand Secretary*

EMERGENT COMMUNICATION

An Emergent Communication of The Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina was held in the Hall of Richard Caswell Lodge No. 705, A.F. & A.M., located at 805 Greenbrier Road in Kinston, North Carolina, on Friday, April 17, 1964, with the following present:

GRAND LODGE OFFICERS

M.'.W.'.W. Edward Burrier, P.M. (31) ---------------- *Grand Master*
R.'.W.'.Ralph G. Keith, (M-4) ---------------- *as Deputy Grand Master*
R.'.W.'.James M. Rochelle, Jr., P.M. (705) --- *as Senior Grand Warden*
R.'.W.'.B. Hyman Davis, (JW-4) ---------- *as Junior Grand Warden*
R.'.W.'.John K. Stanley, (Tr-4) ---------------- *as Grand Treasurer*
R.'.W.'.Robert P. Dudley, P.M. (202) ------------ *as Grand Secretary*
W.'.Glenn W. Blackburn, (SD-4) --------- *as Senior Grand Deacon*
W.'.Robert J. Whitfield, Jr., (JD-4) ----- *as Junior Grand Deacon*
W.'.Lee F. Dorsey, P.M. (705) ---------------- *as Grand Marshal*
W.'.Edward R. Stroud, (St-4) ---------------- *as Grand Steward*
W.'.Robert I. Faulkner, (St-4) ---------------- *as Grand Steward*
W.'.John F. Whitfield, (Ty-4) ------------------ *as Grand Tyler*
W.'.Troy G. Robbins, (694) -------------------- *Grand Chaplain*

PAST GRAND MASTERS

M.'.W.'.William J. Bundy, P.G.M. (284)
M.'.W.'.Charles A. Harris, P.G.M. (113)

The Grand Lodge was opened in AMPLE FORM by M.'.W.'.Wm. Edward Burrier, Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, who announced that the purpose of this Emergent Communication was to lay the cornerstone for the new Temple of Saint John's Lodge No. 4, A.F. & A.M.

The Grand Lodge then proceeded to the site of the new Masonic Temple of Saint John's Lodge No. 4, A.F. & A.M., located on Heritage Street in Kinston, North Carolina, for the ceremony.

W.'.Brother Jasper L. Phillips, P.M. (4) represented the Building Authorities; W.'.Brother Jack P. Carey, (4) represented the Principal Architect; W.'.Brother John D. Charlton, (M-705) carried the Three Great Lights; and W.'.Brother Robert B. Jones, P.M. (13) carried the Book of Constitutions.

The Grand Master delivered appropriate remarks to the assemblage as to the purpose of the occasion, and the cornerstone was laid in accordance with usual Masonic custom. The oration for the occasion was delivered by M.'.W.'.William J. Bundy, P.G.M.

Following the completion of the ceremony, the Grand Lodge returned to the Hall of Richard Caswell Lodge No. 705.

W.'.Brother Ralph G. Keith, Master of Saint John's Lodge No. 4, expressed the appreciation of the lodge to the Grand Master and others who assisted in the ceremony, and a brief response was made by the Grand Master.

The purpose for which this Emergent Communication was called having been accomplished, the minutes were read and approved, and the Grand Lodge was closed in AMPLE FORM.

W. EDWARD BURRIER, *Grand Master*

ROBERT P. DUDLEY *as Grand Secretary*
Attest: CHARLES A. HARRIS, *Grand Secretary*

FIRST DAY—AFTERNOON SESSION

The Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina, convened in Emergent Communication in Park Center, 310 Kings Drive, Charlotte, North Carolina, on Tuesday, April 21, 1964, at 1:00 p.m., and was opened in DUE FORM by R.·.W.·.Brother G. Dudley Humphrey, Deputy Grand Master, for the purpose of receiving the Grand Master, the Distinguished Guests, the Past Grand Masters, and others:

Prayer was offered by W.·.Brother A. D. Leon Gray, Assistant Grand Chaplain.

RECEPTION OF THE GRAND MASTER

The Most Worshipful Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, Brother William Edward Burrier, was presented to the East, accorded the private Grand Honors and presented the gavel.

RECEPTION OF DISTINGUISHED GUESTS

The following distinguished guests were escorted to the East; introduced by the Grand Marshal; welcomed by the Grand Master; and accorded the private Grand Honors:

MASSACHUSETTS: M.·.W.·.A. Neill Osgood, Grand Master; R.·.W.·.Robert P. Beach, Grand Marshal.

SOUTH CAROLINA: M.·.W.·.H. Dwight McAlister, Grand Master.

VIRGINIA: M.·.W.·.Millard H. Robbins, Grand Master; M.·.W.·.Archer B. Gay, Past Grand Master, Grand Secretary; R.·.W.·.Julian C. Roden, Jr., Junior Grand Deacon; M.·.W.·.Edmund C. Glover, Jr., Past Grand Master; M.·.W.·.John P. Stokes, Past Grand Master.

GEORGIA: R.·.W.·.Daniel W. Locklin, Grand Secretary; Hubert A. White.

PENNSYLVANIA: R.·.W.·.Robert E. Deyoe, Deputy Grand Master.

MARYLAND: M.·.W.·.Ernest L. Poyner, Grand Master; M.·.W.·.Harry O. Schroeder, Past Grand Master; M.·.W.·.Martin H. Kinsinger, Past Grand Master.

CONNECTICUT: M.·.W.·.Frank H. Linsley, Past Grand Master.

DELAWARE: R.·.W.·.William D. Paulin, Deputy Grand Master, Acting Grand Master; M.·.W.·.William H. Cantwell, Past Grand Master; M.·.W.·.James B. Kilvington, Past Grand Master.

OHIO: M.·.W.·.Colin B. Montis, Grand Master; M.·.W.·.Andrew J. White, Jr., Past Grand Master, Grand Secretary.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA: M.·.W.·.Samuel W. McIntosh, Past Grand Master, Executive Secretary, Conference of Grand Masters in North America.

TENNESSEE: M.·.W.·.Ralph F. Worthy, Grand Master; M.·. W.·.W. Phelan Douglas, Past Grand Master.

INDIANA: R.·.W.·.Clyde E. Flowers, Deputy Grand Master; M.·.W.·.Newell A. Lamb, Past Grand Master.

MAINE: M.·.W.·.Raymond M. Rideout, Sr., Grand Master.

ILLINOIS: M.·.W.·.Everett L. Lawrence, Past Grand Master, Past Grand Secretary.

MICHIGAN: M.·.W.·.Newton S. Bacon, Grand Master.

WEST VIRGINIA: W.·.C. Vincent Townsend, Grand Pursuivant.

OKLAHOMA: M.·.W.·.Carson Scott, Grand Master.

MASONIC SERVICE ASSOCIATION: W.·.William C. Edmunds, Chief Field Agent; W.·.John D. Cunningham, former Executive Secretary.

THE SUPREME COUNCIL, A.A.S.R., NORTH CAROLINA: Ill.·.James G. Johnston, Past Grand Master, Deputy A.A.S.R. in North Carolina.

GRAND ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER OF NORTH CAROLINA: M.·.E.·.Lorenzo H. Wall, Grand High Priest, R.A.M.

GRAND COUNCIL R. & S.M. IN NORTH CAROLINA: M.·.I.·. E. Paul Martin, Grand Master.

GRAND COMMANDERY OF KNIGHTS TEMPLAR OF N.C.: R.·.E.·.A. D. Leon Gray, Grand Commander.

POTENTATE OF OASIS TEMPLE: Ill.·.W. Fleming Talman, Potentate of Oasis Temple, A.A.O.N.M.S. of North Carolina.

RECEPTION OF PAST GRAND MASTERS

The Past Grand Masters of Masons in North Carolina were presented by the Grand Marshal, welcomed by the Grand Master, escorted to the East, and accorded the Private Grand Honors.

RECEPTION OF OTHERS

The following brethren were introduced by the Grand Secretary, welcomed by the Grand Master, and accorded Private Grand Honors: District Deputy Grand Masters, Grand Representatives, District Deputy Grand Lecturers, and the Grand Lecturer.

OPENING OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL COMMUNICATION OF THE GRAND LODGE OF NORTH CAROLINA

The Grand Master announced that the hour for the One Hundred Seventy-Seventh Annual Communication having arrived, the Grand Lodge having been opened in Emergent Communication at 1:00 p.m. on Tuesday, April 21, 1964, declared the Grand Lodge opened in AMPLE FORM at 3:00 p.m., on Tuesday, April 21, 1964, a constitutional number of lodges being represented.

GRAND LODGE OFFICERS PRESENT

M.'.W.'.W. Edward Burrier† (31) ---------- *Grand Master*
R.'.W.'.G. Dudley Humphrey†, C.L. (1) ---------- *Deputy Grand Master*
R.'.W.'.Sam A. Hennis, Jr.† (322) ---------- *Senior Grand Warden*
R.'.W.'.Arnold J. Koonce, Sr.† (716) ---------- *Junior Grand Warden*
M.'.W.'.James W. Brewer* (708) ---------- *Grand Treasurer*
M.'.W.'.Charles A. Harris* (113) ---------- *Grand Secretary*
W.'.Alfred A. Kafer, Jr.† (3) ---------- *Senior Grand Deacon*
W.'.Robert N. Bass, Jr.† (97) ---------- *Junior Grand Deacon*
W.'.William A. Hooks†, C. L. (84) ---------- *Grand Marshal*
W.'.Maurice E. Walsh† (407) ---------- *Grand Steward*
W.'.William W. Mims, Jr.† (530) ---------- *Grand Steward*
W.'.Fred F. Harding† (500) ---------- *Grand Tyler*
W.'.William A. Richard (702) ---------- *Grand Chaplain*
W.'.A. D. Leon Gray† (122) ---------- *Asst. Grand Chaplain*
W.'.Troy G. Robbins (694) ---------- *Asst. Grand Chaplain*
W.'.Julian W. Helms (728) ---------- *Grand Historian*
W.'.Nathaniel C. Dean†, C.L. (150) ---------- *Grand Lecturer*
W.'.W. Kenneth Goodson (530) ---------- *Grand Orator*
M.'.W.'.J. Giles Hudson* (576) ---------- *Judge Advocate*

PAST GRAND MASTERS PRESENT

James W. Brewer* (708) ---------- 1961
William J. Bundy* (284) ---------- 1946
W. Eli Hand* (1) ---------- 1959
Thomas J. Harkins* (118) ---------- 1940
Charles A. Harris* (113) ---------- 1957
Dr. Maxwell E. Hoffman* (118) ---------- 1948
Edwin T. Howard* (344) ---------- 1953
J. Giles Hudson* (576) ---------- 1936
James G. Johnston* (261) ---------- 1958
Charles B. Newcomb* (1) ---------- 1935
Dr. Chas. H. Pugh* (369) ---------- 1955
Robert L. Pugh* (568) ---------- 1954
Charles C. Ricker* (118) ---------- 1962
Watson N. Sherrod* (447) ---------- 1937
James E. Shipman* (387) ---------- 1942
Harvey W. Smith* (109) ---------- 1960
William H. White* (151) ---------- 1952

PAST GRAND SECRETARY PRESENT

Charles B. Newcomb* (1)

BOARD OF GENERAL PURPOSES PRESENT

M.'.W.'.W. Edward Burrier† (31) *Grand Master, Chm.* ---------- Charlotte
R.'.W.'.G. Dudley Humphrey†, C.L. (1) *Dep. Gr. Master* ---------- Wilmington
R.'.W.'.Sam A. Hennis, Jr.† (322) *Senior Grand Warden* ---------- Mount Airy
R.'.W.'.Arnold J. Koonce, Sr.† (716) *Junior Gr. Warden* ---------- High Point
M.'.W.'.James W. Brewer* (708) *Grand Treasurer* ---------- Greenville
M.'.W.'.Charles A. Harris* (113) *Grand Sec., Secretary* ---------- Raleigh
M.'.W.'.William J. Bundy* (284) 1964 ---------- Greenville
M.'.W.'.Charles B. Newcomb* (1) 1964 ---------- Wilmington
M.'.W.'.Watson N. Sherrod* (447) 1965 ---------- Enfield

† Past Master * Past Grand Master

M.'.W.'.Robert L. Pugh* (568) 1965 New Bern
M.'.W.'.James G. Johnston*, C.L. (261) 1966 Charlotte
M.'.W.'.Charles H. Pugh* (369) 1966 Gastonia

BOARD OF CUSTODIANS PRESENT

M.'.W.'.W. Edward Burrier† (31) *Grand Master, Ex-Officio Chm.* Charlotte
W.'.Nathaniel C. Dean†, C.L. (150) *Grand Lecturer* Norwood
M.'.W.'.Charles B. Newcomb* (1) 1964 *Secretary* Wilmington
W.'.G. Bland Church†, C.L. (118) 1965 Asheville
M.'.W.'.James G. Johnston*, C.L. (261) 1965, *Chairman* Charlotte
W.'.William H. Hardy†, C.L. (390) 1966 Siloam
M.'.W.'.Charles C. Ricker* (118) 1966 Asheville

DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTERS PRESENT

1 Francis W. Clark† (317)
2 Edgar L. Swain† (684)
3 Anderson Midgett† (698)
4 Audrey B. Hardison† (675)
5 George C. Elks† (475)
6 Lee F. Dorsey† (705)
7 Thomas W. Cathey† (688)
8 Reynold S. Davenport, Sr.,† C.L. (680)
9 B. Franklin Hobbs† (677)
10 Nathan W. Humphrey† (1)
11 Coolidge Wright†, C.L. (563)
12 Henry H. Atkinson† (643)
13 R. Vincent McBryde† (8)
14 Nelson W. Newton†, C.L. (206)
15 Griffith G. Edgerton†, C.L. (257)
16 Rufus J. Hare† (340)
17 L. Horace Renfrow† (527)
18 George W. Marshbourne†, C.L. (187)
19 Dix B. Moir, Jr.† (418)
20 Jesse W. Harris†, C.L. (447)
21 James A. Johnson† (413)
22 Horace L. Macon†, C.L. (282)
23 W. Gale Parker† (218)
24 Bruce C. Ferrell† (277)
25 King M. Willis† (151)
26 E. Floyd Dunn†, C.L. (550)
27 William A. Baucom† (244)
28 DeWitt T. Scarboro†, C.L. (127)
29 Herbert D. Holland†, C.L. (699)
30 Paul L. Coleman† (272)
31 Emery B. Denny, Jr.† (408)
32 Leon B. Perkinson† (697)
33 Dr. Olin G. Fritz† (629)
34 William H. Simpson† (428)
35 Bruce H. King† (167)
36 Robert A. Culler†, C.L. (674)
37 Robert L. Harrison† (543)
38 Joe E. Jenkins†, C.L. (618)
39 William S. McMillian† (205)
40 Cliarence R. Welch†, C.L. (261)
41 Earl A. Helms†, C.L. (627)
42 Thomas F. Moore, Sr.† (505)
43 George W. Lee†, C.L. (534)
45 Artie E. Reynolds† (593)

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46 Percy A. Cralert†, C.L.------(434)
47 J. Earl Watson†, C.L.------(691)
48 Conley Call†------(407)
49 Hoyle H. Davis†------(363)
51 Charles A. Ramsey†, C.L.------(357)
53 William C. Silver, Jr.†------(292)
54 C. Jackson Huff†, C.L.------(446)
55 Ernest H. Gibbs†------(719)
56 Glenn D. Brown†------(453)
57 J. C. Long†------(427)
58 Earl C. Van Horn†------(146)

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2 Royal White Hart (20)—Halifax:
William A. Cooke, M.; Ernest C. Parker, S.W.
3 St. John's (7)—New Bern:
James T. Johnson, M.; Albert M. Lovell, S.W.; Stephen F. Noble, Jr., J.W.
4 St. John's (6)—Kinston:
Ralph G. Keith, M. and Proxy for J.W.; Harry J. Coates, S.W.
5 Charity (2)—Windsor:
Hubert E. White, M.; Thomas C. Phelps, J.W.
8 Phoenix (13)—Fayetteville:
T. G. Slate, Proxy for Officers.
10 Johnston-Caswell (21)—Warrenton:
Hugh H. Stegall, M.; Robert M. Stegall, S. W.; W. Lee Riggan, Proxy for J.W.
11 Caswell Brotherhood (30)—Yanceyville:
Harvey L. Chaney, Jr., M.; William L. Boone, Proxy for S.W.; Bedford J. Page, J.W.
13 St. John's (9)—Kenansville:
James F. Bunce, M.; Thomas F. Quinn, S. W.; Lauren R. Sharpe, J.W.
17 American George (19)—Murfreesboro:
Terrence McAuley, M. and Proxy for S.W.; Edwin T. Forbes, Proxy for J.W.
19 Eagle (30)—Hillsboro:
John M. Roberts, M.; Mann Norris, Jr., S.W.; Everett Kennedy, J.W.
27 Statesville (45)—Statesville:
Marshall C. Deaton, M.; John M. Gregory, J.W.
31 Phalanx (40)—Charlotte:
Harold C. Murr, M.; Donald W. Fuller, S.W.; Robert G. Graham, J.W.
32 Stokes (38)—Concord:
James T. Russell, M. and Proxy for J.W.; Billy F. Love, S.W.
40 Hiram (23)—Raleigh:
James W. Campbell, M. and Proxy for Wardens
45 Liberty (48)—Wilkeboro:
Douglas F. Wood, M.; Paul R. Laws, S.W.; Daniel J. Evans, J.W.
53 Hall (1)—Shawboro, Star Route:
Clifton F. Williams, Proxy for M. and S.W.; George E. Williams, Proxy for J.W.

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56 King Solomon (19)—Jackson:
Wendell C. Long, M.; James C. Morgan, Proxy for S.W.
58 Concord (18)—Tarboro:
A. F. Felton, Proxy for M.; H. H. James, Sr., Proxy for Wardens
59 Perseverance (4)—Plymouth:
G. R. Leggett, Sr., Proxy for M. and S.W.; R. H. Lucas, Proxy for J.W.
64 Kilwinning (27)—Wadesboro:
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76 Greensboro (34)—Greensboro:
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81 Zion (7)—Trenton:
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83 LaFayette (8)—Jacksonville:
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84 Fellowship (15)—Smithfield:
Elmer B. Wallace, M.; George L. Peterson, S.W.; Benjamin F. Grimes, J.W.
85 Morning Star (18)—Nashville:
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90 Skewarkee (2)—Williamston:
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91 Western Star (52)—Rutherfordton:
S. Claude Hawkins, M.; Max D. Gilbert, J.W.
92 Joseph Warren (17)—Stantonsburg:
W. H. Jones, Jr., M.
95 Jerusalem (6)—Hookerton:
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97 Milbrook (23)—Millbrook:
George D. Aiken, M.; Freeman M. Jones, S.W.; George W. White, Proxy for J.W.
98 Hiram (14)—Clinton:
John T. Ashford, Jr., M. and Proxy for S.W.; Harold R. Turlington, J.W.
99 Fulton (37)—Salisbury:
C. Ned Trexler, M.; Clifford Beaver, Proxy for S.W.; Adair E. Chambers, Proxy for J.W.
102 Columbus (25)—Pittsboro:
John W. Drake, M.; Albert E. Fitchett, S.W.; Bernice Thomas, J.W.
106 Perquimans (1)—Hertford:
William A. White, M.
109 Franklin (8)—Beaufort:
Alexander C. Conway, M.; Thomas C. Avery, S.W.; Earl M. Noe, Jr., Proxy for J.W.
112 Wayne (16)—Goldsboro:
W. Harold Edgerton, M.; John A. Narron, S.W.; J. Clifton Sasser, J.W.

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115 Holly Springs (24)—Holly Springs:
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122 Oxford (32)—Oxford:
A. D. Leon Gray, Proxy for Officers.
123 Franklinton (21)—Franklinton:
John T. Sawyer, Proxy for Officers.
125 Mill Creek (14)—Newton Grove:
Calvin E. Williford, M.; Newton Lee, Proxy for S.W.; George S. Jordan, J.W.
126 Gatesville (1)—Gatesville:
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127 Blackmer (28)—Mount Gilead:
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128 Hanks (29)—Franklinville:
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129 Dan River (33)—Madison:
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132 Radiance (6)—Snow Hill:
William J. Hughes, M. and Proxy for J.W.; Melvin Oliver, Proxy for S.W.
134 Mocksville (46)—Mocksville:
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136 Leaksville (33)—Leaksville:
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137 Lincoln (41)—Lincolnton:
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Charles R. Forest, M.
145 Junaluskee (57)—Franklin:
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147 Palmyra (13)—Dunn:
George P. Lee, M.; Joseph C. Ruark, S.W.; William F. Wade, J.W.
149 Adoniram (32)—Cornwall:
Lawrence E. Davis, M.; Paul T. Morgan, S.W.

150 Pee Dee (28)—Norwood:
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151 Sanford (25)—Sanford:
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154 Scotch Ireland (37)—Cleveland:
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155 White Stone (22)—Wakefield:
LeRoy J. Hicks, M.; Bobby A. Pace, S.W.; Lawrence L. Creech, J.W.
158 Knap of Reeds (31)—Bahama:
Charlie B. Crabtree M.; Baxter Bobbitt, Proxy for S.W.; H. B. Wilkins, Proxy for J.W.
162 Yadkin (46)—Yadkinville:
Woodrow W. Dixon, M. and Proxy for Wardens.
165 Archer (15)—Clayton, RFD:
J. Kessler Eason, Proxy for Officers.
167 Winston (35)—Winston Salem:
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171 Colerain (2)—Colerain:
R. S. Holley, Proxy for Officers.
172 Buffalo (25)—Sanford:
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176 Mecklenburg (39)—Davidson:
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181 Carthage (25)—Carthage:
Harry N. Scott, M.; Stonewall J. Bradshaw, S.W.; Russell G. Smith, Sr., J.W.
187 Central Cross (18)—Spring Hope, Rt. 2:
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188 Balfour (29)—Asheboro:
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198 Cary (23)—Cary:
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203 Roanoke (20)—Weldon:
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205 Long Creek (39)—Huntersville:
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207 Lebanon (11)—Whiteville:
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208 Mount Olive (16)—Mount Olive:
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210 Eno (31)—Durham:
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214 Thomasville (36)—Thomasville:
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218 William G. Hill (23)—Raleigh:
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229 Henderson (21)—Henderson:
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230 Corinthian (18)—Rocky Mount:
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231 William T. Bain (23)—Raleigh, Route 3:
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233 Lenoir (6)—LaGrange:
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237 Mystic Tie (52)—Marion:
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240 Wiccacon (2)—Harrellsville:
Richard O. Liverman, M.

244 Monroe (27)—Monroe:
Allen B. Keziah, M.

248 Catawba (44)—Newton:
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257 Kenly (15)—Kenly:
G. G. Edgerton, Proxy for Officers.

258 Fuquay (24)—Fuquay Springs:
Fredric C. Wagstaff, M. and Proxy for S.W.; James C. Slaughter, J.W.

259 Waynesville (56)—Waynesville:
Robert C. Graybeal, M.; Roy C. Reese, Proxy for S.W.; Earle Scruggs, J.W.

261 Excelsior (40)—Charlotte:
Herbert E. Blackmon, M.; Tennant C. Ingram, S.W.; Hamilton B. Grice, Jr., J.W.

262 Hibriten (44)—Lenoir:
J. Talmadge Ennis, M.; John S. Thompson, S.W.

263 Gaston (42)—Dallas:
Lathan C. Carpenter, M.; Forney D. Mays, S.W.

265 Farmington (46)—Farmington:
John C. Hartman, M.; William L. Brock, S.W.; Norman Blake, Proxy for J.W.

267 Dunn's Rock (55)—Brevard:
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271 Tabasco (30)—Gibsonville:
Edward R. Gerringer, M.
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277 Green Level (24)—Apex, Route 3:
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279 Rehoboth (9)—Rosehill:
Noland R. Mattocks, M.; James A. Ward, Proxy for J.W.
282 Wake Forest (22)—Wake Forest:
Frank Bailey, M.; Wallace E. Looper, S.W.; Charles Smith, J.W.
283 Eureka (37)—China Grove:
William L. Eagle, M.; Robert G. Ritchie, Sr., S.W.; William L. Sims, J.W.
284 Greenville (5)—Greenville:
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289 Salem (35)—Winston-Salem:
Henry F. Carver, M.; Marvin J. Crater, S.W.; Thomas L. Burton, J.W.
292 French Broad (53)—Marshall:
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296 Stonewall (5)—Robersonville:
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300 Aurora (4)—Aurora:
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301 Clay (58)—Hayesville:
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302 Lillington (13)—Lillington:
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304 Pleasant Hill (6)—Pink Hill:
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305 Laurinburg (26)—Laurinburg:
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306 Raeford (26)—Raeford:
Martin L. Webb, M.; Paul Livingston, Proxy for S.W.; Keith Hawkes, Proxy for J.W.
314 New Labanon (1)—South Mills:
J. K. Rhodes, Proxy for Officers.
317 Eureka (1)—Elizabeth City:
Samuel R. Moore, Jr., M.; Joseph E. Hill, S.W.; Clyde A. Garrett, J.W.
319 Wilmington (10)—Wilmington:
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320 Selma (15)—Selma:
W. B. Johnson, M.
322 Granite (47)—Mount Airy:
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331 Bayboro (7)—Bayboro:
Roy R. Ludvigsen, M. and Proxy for Officers.
340 Harmony (16)—Pikeville:
Irvin Rowe, M.; Charles B. Strickland, S.W.; William A. Taylor, Proxy for J.W.
343 Hickory (44)—Hickory:
Arlie R. Eggers, M.; Charles C. Rink, S.W.; Arnold D. Frye, J.W.
344 Numa F. Reid (36)—High Point:
Jay Bodenheimer, M.; William L. Underwood, S.W.; Gilbert R. English, J.W.
348 Stanly (28)—Albemarle:
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352 Durham (31)—Durham:
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356 Fallston (43)—Fallston:
B. Bernard Elliott, M. and Proxy for Wardens.
358 East La Porte (57)—East Laport:
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359 Mount Vernon (7)—Oriental:
Robert W. Day, M. and Proxy for S.W.; V. T. Hill, Proxy for J.W.
363 Snow (49)—Boone:
Eddie P. Norris, Proxy for M. and J.W.; Fred B. Castle, S.W.
369 Gastonia (42)—Gastonia:
Thomas C. Yates, M.; John M. McKenzie, S.W.; Burmah K. Carpenter, J.W.
374 Campbell (45)—Troutman:
Carl L. Malboeuf, Proxy for Officers.
375 State Line (43)—Grover:
Robert L. Beam, Proxy for M.; Herman H. Weaver, S.W.; Sidney B. Ledbetter, J.W.
377 Youngsville (21)—Youngsville:
John H. Parrish, M.; Dewarner E. Duke, Jr., S.W.; M. E. Winston, Proxy for J.W.
378 Seaboard (19)—Seaboard:
E. R. Matthews, Proxy for Officers.
379 Coharie (14)—Salemburg:
Wilbert N. Tyndall, M.; Kenneth L. Eckholm, Proxy for S.W.; Edwin C. Howard, Proxy for J.W.
381 Forest City (52)—Forest City:
Howard E. Lowdermilk, M.; William Grayson, J.W.
386 Pigeon River (56)—Canton:
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387 Kedron (55)—Hendersonville:
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Ronald W. Loftis, M. and Proxy for Wardens.
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397 Bald Creek (53)—Swiss:
John N. Hutchins, M.; James B. Robinson, S.W.
401 Joppa (52)—Old Fort:
Jimmy R. Harris, M.; Everett Knupp, Proxy for S.W.; Roy McAfee, J.W.
403 Siler City (25)—Siler City:
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404 Denton (36)—Denton:
Arlie C. Daniels, M. and Proxy For Wardens.
405 Ocean (8)—Morehead City:
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407 North Wilkesboro (48)—North Wilkesboro:
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408 University (31)—Chapel Hill:
William R. Bibb, M. and Proxy for J.W.; Ronald K. Pickett, S.W.
409 Bula (30)—Burlington:
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411 Bailey (17)—Bailey:
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412 Henry F. Grainger (32)—Oxford, Route 5:
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413 Louisburg (21)—Louisburg:
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420 Harmon (46)—Yadkinville, Route 3:
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427 Oconee (57)—Bryson City:
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428 Stokesdale (34)—Stokesdale:
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429 Sea Side (8)—Swansboro:
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431 Relief (15)—Benson:
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432 Piney Creek (49)—Piney Creek:
Grover Enopier, Proxy for Officers.
433 Vanceboro (7)—Vanceboro:
E. P. Blair, Proxy for Officers.
434 West Bend (46)—Lewisville:
P. A. Crater, Proxy for Officers.
437 Biscoe (28)—Biscoe:
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444 Marietta (29)—Ramseur:
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446 Biltmore (54)—Asheville:
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447 Enfield (20)—Enfield:
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453 Clyde (56)—Clyde:
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459 Dillsboro (57)—Sylva:
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461 Matthews (39)—Matthews:
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462 South Fork (41)—Cramerton:
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474 St. Pauls (12)—St. Pauls:
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475 Grimesland (5)—Grimesland:
G. C. Elks, Proxy for M. and J.W.; James E. Mauray, S.W.
482 Saluda (55)—Saluda:
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483 Traphill (48)—Traphill:
John W. Bryan, Jr., M.; Ruffin D. Gambill, S.W.; Sam Swaringen, Proxy for J.W.
484 Southern Pines (26)—Southern Pines:
Stanley T. Dunn, M.; L. D. Jones, Proxy for S.W.; Robert J. Snipes, J.W.
486 Lawndale (43)—Lawndale:
James A. Lattimore, S.W. and proxy for M.; Edgar A. Lattimore, J.W.
489 Linville (51)—Newland:
Donley Aldridge, Proxy for M.; Charles Buchanan, S.W.
491 Hominy (54)—Candler:
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492 Thomas M. Holt (30)—Graham:
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493 Pilot (47)—Pilot Mountain:
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495 Rockingham (26)—Rockingham:
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496 Mooresville (45)—Mooresville:
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497 Royal Hart (20)—Littleton:
Claude A. Wilson, M. and Proxy for J.W.; Sol B. Bobbitt, Proxy for S.W.
498 Ayden (5)—Ayden:
J.W. Dale, S.W. and Proxy for M. and J.W.
500 Raleigh (23)—Raleigh:
James S. Johnson, Jr., M.; Fredrick G. Spidel, S.W.; Edward A. Walters, J.W.
501 Red Springs (12)—Red Springs:
Dennis C. Hagen, M.and Proxy for J.W.; Charles E. Brown, S.W.
502 Cookville (44)—Near Henry:
Earl Johnson, M.; Austin Rhoney, Proxy for S.W.
505 Cherryville (42)—Cherryville:
Graham R. Beam, M. and Proxy for Wardens.
509 Belhaven (4)—Belhaven:
Charles E. Midgette, M.; Hubbard E. Griffin, Proxy for S.W.
515 Whetstone (42)—Bessemer City:
Marvin O. Penner, M.; Floyd J. Noblett, S.W.; Fred R. Lovelace, Jr., J.W.
517 Farmville (5)—Farmville:
Eckie P. Freuler, Proxy for Officers.
519 Widow's Son (20)—Roanoke Rapids:
Charles E. Eldridge, M. and Proxy for Wardens
521 Manteo (3)—Manteo:
Ephey B. Priest, M. and Proxy for J.W.; William H. Jones, S.W.
524 Pendleton (19)—Pendleton:
J. Presley Barnes, Proxy for S.W.; William D. Edwards, J.W.
525 Rodgers (17)—Middlesex:
C. Harris Daniel, Proxy for Officers.
527 Lucama (17)—Lucama:
Paul A. Bailey, Proxy for Officers.
528 Fairmont (12)—Fairmont:
Edward H. McKinnon, M. and Proxy for Wardens.
529 Andrews (58)—Andrews.
John E. Boring, S.W.; Charles O. Frazier, J.W.
530 Joppa (40)—Charlotte:
Clyde W. Grimes, Jr., M.; Alva P. Gardner, S.W.; Cletus O. Fulp, J.W.
532 Hamlet (26)—Hamlet:
Talmage E. Wooten, M.; David J. Billingsley, S.W.; Owen F. McLean, J.W.
534 Camp Call (43)—Shelby, Route 5:
W. M. Stamey, Proxy for M.; Wayne D. Miller, S.W.; Lawrence Shuford, Proxy for J.W.

535 Hollis (52)—Hollis:
Fay Robertson, M.; J. L. Padgett, Proxy for S.W.
538 Williams (39)—Cornelius:
John H. Washam, M.; R. H. Atwell, Jr., S.W.; R. H. Atwell, Sr., Proxy for J.W.
542 Corinthian (34)—Greensboro:
Rudolph A. Berry, M.; E. O. Rider, Proxy for S.W.
543 Spencer (37)—Spencer:
Clarence F. Young, M.; William C. Smith, S.W.; A. R. Gibbs, P.M., Proxy for J.W.
544 Mount Holly (41)—Mount Holly:
Wilton L. Hipp, M.; Richard G. Moore, Proxy for S.W.; M. W. Boswell, J.W.
550 Roman Eagle (26)—Aberdeen:
Calvin C. Thompson, M. and Proxy for J.W.; James K. Bridgers, S.W.
552 Revolution (34)—Greensboro:
George R. Shirley, M.; William D. Maness, S.W.; Walter L. Barton, Sr., J.W.
554 Vesper (51)—Spruce Pine:
Robert T. Curtis, M.; Lewis A. Sparks, S.W.
555 Elise (25)—Robbins:
James J. Cook, M.; Frank Kennedy, Proxy for S. W.; Winfred C. Stutts, J.W.
556 Neill S. Stewart (13)—Erwin:
W. M. Davis, M. and Proxy for J.W.; B. W. Hobbs, S.W.
558 Ararat (47)—Ararat:
C. H. Hill Proxy for Officers.
561 Swannanoa (54)—Swannanoa:
Henry E. Rodgers, M.; Vincent E. Brewer, Proxy for S.W.; George W. Frink, Proxy for J.W.
562 Waxhaw (27)—Waxhaw:
Clegg W. Vaughn, M. and Proxy for J.W.; John T. Wilson, S.W.
563 Tabor (11)—Tabor City:
Ambrose V. Elliott, M.; Coolidge Wright, Proxy for S.W.; Claude M. Boyd, J.W.
565 Wendell (22)—Wendell:
Percy C. Stott, Proxy for Officers.
568 Doric (7)—New Bern:
William T. Cahoon, M.; LeRoy Thomas, Proxy for S.W.; Elwood E. Clayton, J.W.
569 Mount Pleasant (17)—Bailey, Route 1:
H. P. Bissette, Proxy for Officers.
571 Snow Creek (45)—Statesville, Route 5:
Elmer F. Saum, M. and Proxy for Wardens.
573 Mount Pleasant (48)—Champion:
Charles R. Bishop, M.; J. M. Joines, Proxy for Wardens.
576 Andrew Jackson (37)—Salisbury:
John P. Miller, M.; Floyd Burton, Proxy for S.W.; F. W. Wellman, Proxy for J.W.
578 Meadow Branch (27)—Wingate:
John V. Chaney, M.; Joseph S. Foster, Proxy for S.W.; W. F. Connell, Proxy for J.W.

584 Apex (24)—Apex:
Gerald W. Truelove, M.; William L. Guest, S.W.; Alton B. Parker, Proxy for J.W.

585 Roseboro (14)—Roseboro:
Clifford C. Jackson, M.; George A. Pope, S.W.; Lacy E. Autry, J.W.

589 Bethel (5)—Bethel:
Robert L. Martin Proxy for Officers.

590 Lowell (41)—Lowell:
Earl J. Day, S.W. and Proxy for M. & J.W.

592 Maiden (44)—Maiden:
Pinkney A. Lineberger, M. and Proxy for Wardens.

593 Stony Point (45)—Stony Point:
Mack L. Kerley, S.W. and Proxy for M. and J.W.

594 Ashe (49)—West Jefferson:
Wiley D. McMillan, M.

595 Wallace (9)—Wallace:
David W. Powell, M. and Proxy for J.W.; William W. Blanchard, S.W.

598 Cranberry (51)—Elk Park:
Earnest P. Ollis, M.; H. Woodrow Houston, S.W.; LeRoy Riddle, Proxy for J.W.

602 Queen City (18)—Rocky Mount:
Donald R. Cavanaugh, M. and Proxy for J.W.; Woodrow W. Drake, Proxy for S.W.

606 Riverside (44)—Catawba:
Jasper H. Bissette, M.; Jacob R. Abernathy, S.W.; Charles G. Abernathy, Proxy for J.W.

607 Chadbourn (11)—Chadbourn:
Leo Mercer, M.

609 Zebulon (22)—Zebulon:
Bobby H. Perry, M.; Elton C. Chamblee, S.W.; Bobby R. Weathers, J.W.

612 Atkinson (10)—Atkinson:
W. S. Woodcock, M.; Cletus F. Pridgen, S.W.; James F. DeVane, Proxy for J.W.

613 Home (16)—Fremont:
Cecil R. Evans, M.; Erskine W. Bass, J.W.

616 Round Peak (47)—Mount Airy, Route 3.
Verlon C. Clifton, M. and Proxy for J.W.; Roscoe J. Jefferson, S.W.

617 St. Patrick's (15)—Princeton:
Delton M. Toler, M.; Edgar A. Holt, S.W.; George E. Pool, J.W.

618 Union (38)—Midland:
Ephriam C. Shinn, M.; Joe E. Jenkins, Proxy for S.W.; Joel J. Drake, J.W.

624 John H. Mills (21)—Epsom:
Ronald T. Renn, S.W. and Proxy for M. and J.W.

626 Cannon Memorial (38)—Kannapolis:
Ralph T. Dickson, M. and Proxy for S.W.; Paul D. Crisco, J.W.

627 Belmont (41)—Belmont:
Garland W. Hogsed, M.; William F. Lark, S.W.; Joseph Reep, Proxy for J.W.

629 Walnut Cove (33)—Walnut Cove:
Olin G. Fritz, Proxy for Officers.
630 Francis S. Packard (21)—Norlina:
Benzie W. King, S.W. and Proxy for M. and J.W.
634 Goldsboro (16)—Goldsboro:
Anthony F. Best, M. and Proxy for J.W.; Jimmie Grimes, S.W.
637 Yadkin Falls (28)—Badin:
M. Carol Flake, M.; A. J. Rice, Proxy for S.W.; Charles A. Whitaker, J.W.
643 Proctorville (12)—Proctorville:
Henry H. Atkinson, Proxy for Officers.
646 Bladen (11)—Elizabethtown:
Edd Nye, M.; W. R. Courson, Proxy for Wardens.
650 John A. Nichols (54)—Asheville:
Cornelius Leach, Proxy for Officers.
654 Elberta (26)—West End:
William M. Thompson, M.; Dudley J. Rector, S.W.; B. A. Cox, Sr., Proxy for J.W.
656 Guilford (34)—Greensboro:
Harold E. Hartley, M.; Joseph G. Nesbit, Jr., S.W.; C. Bradley Willis, Jr., Proxy for J.W.
657 Keller Memorial (37)—Rockwell:
F. G. Misenheimer, Proxy for M.; Clarence L. Rinehart, Proxy for Wardens.
658 Beulaville (9)—Beulaville:
Percy E. Thigpen, Jr., M.; A. W. Gresham, Proxy for Wardens.
664 Garland (14)—Garland:
Lubin F. Bullard, Sr., J.W. and Proxy for M. and S.W.
665 West Asheville (54)—Asheville:
William S. Seay, S.W. and Proxy for M. and J.W.
667 Fort Bragg (13)—Fort Bragg:
William C. Hammond, Jr., M; Donald L. Runkle, S.W.; Farris A. Hunt, J.W.
668 Holland Memorial (42)—Gastonia:
Clinton Crisp, M. and Proxy for J.W.; Edward R. Dula, S.W.
669 Kernersville (35)—Kernersville:
Joseph F. McKnight, Jr., M.; Clyde H. Jarrell, S.W.; Woodrow L. Neugent, J.W.
670 Lovelady (44)—Valdese:
Edward Pons, M.; L. P. Guigou, Proxy for S.W.
673 Spindale (52)—Spindale:
Theodore A. Justice, S.W.; Gilbert Mathis, Proxy for J.W.
674 Acacia (36)—High Point:
William C. Hilton, M. and Proxy for J.W.; Alvin F. Brucke, S.W.
675 Washington (4)—Washington:
Ray E. Phillips, Proxy for Officers.
676 Temple (40)—Charlotte:
John W. Tanzy, M.; Walter L. Glenn, S.W.; William H. Harmon, J.W.
677 Warsaw (9)—Warsaw:
Joseph L. Costin, M.; John L. Powell, Jr., S.W.; Forrest L. Martin, J.W.
678 Providence (3)—Columbia:
Melvin J. Furlough, M. and Proxy for J.W.; M. Vernon Cohoon, Jr., S.W.

679 Creasy Proctor (13)—Fayetteville:
James P. Perry, M.; John Q. Sykes, S.W.; LeRoy R. Overmann, J.W.

680 Semper Fidelis (8)—Jacksonville:
Tony R. Dedmond, Proxy for M.; Louie A. Tanner, S.W.; David W. Owens, Proxy for J.W.

681 Piedmont (36)—High Point:
William F. Ogle, S.W. and Proxy for M. and J.W.

683 Rolesville (22)—Rolesville:
Douglas M. Wall, M.

684 Ahoskie (2)—Ahoskie:
Thomas T. Morris, Jr., M.; Clarence L. Willoughby, J.W.

685 Pioneer (35)—Winston Salem:
Rudolph J. Polivka, M. and Proxy for Wardens.

686 Angier (24)—Angier:
John H. Gwaltney, M.; Orville P. Young, Proxy for S.W.; Baxter W. Lee, J.W.

687 Fellowship (31)—Durham:
Lucas L. Lee, Jr., M.

688 Cherry Point (7)—Havelock:
Clifford H. Justice, M.; Clyde E. Crawford, S.W.; Harold L. Lundy, J.W.

689 Scotland Neck (20)—Scotland Neck:
W. Henry Lewis, M.; C. A. Elks, Proxy for S.W. Gene W. Todd, J.W.

690 Mount Moriah (45)—Statesville:
James C. Warren, M. and Proxy for J.W.; Manier W. Wilkinson, S.W.

691 Renfro (47)—Mount Airy:
Tycho H. Wood, M.; William W. Wilkins, S.W.; James K. Shelton, J.W.

692 East Gate (40)—Charlotte:
Walter C. Mahaffey, M.; Richard H. Long, S.W.; Richard L. Jones, J.W.

693 Charles M. Setzer (40)—Charlotte:
Paul E. Wyche, M.; Ivan T. Parker, S.W. Harry M. McRae, J.W.

694 Gate City (34)—Greensboro:
Troy Robbins, Proxy for M.; J. O. Thornton, Proxy for S.W.; Norman L. Hilliard, J.W.

696 Memorial (36)—Lexington:
Horace W. Moore, M.; Paul G. Gallimore, S.W.; James E. Ridenhour, J.W.

697 Butner (32)—Butner:
Walter T. Breedlove, M.; A. C. Harrison, Proxy for S.W.; Melvin O. Lester, J.W.

698 Cape Hatteras (3)—Buxton:
Bryan J. Salter, M.; William Gibson, Proxy for S.W.; Donald S. Oden, Proxy for J.W.

699 Asheboro (29)—Asheboro:
Jesse A. Kearns, M.; David F. McQueen, Jr., Proxy for S.W.; J. C. Robbins, J.W.

700 Friendship (40)—Charlotte:
Gilbert R. Cooper, M.; Hugh G. Black, Jr., S.W.; Virgil L. Torrence, J.W.

701 Garner (23)—Garner:
James N. Bryan, M.; Nick R. Harrison, Proxy for S.W.; Joseph C. Ford, J.W.

702 St. Andrew (40)—Charlotte:
Gayle O. Moore, M.; Emsley E. Goodwin, S.W.; Ellsworth S. Wolfe, J.W.

703 Albemarle (28)—Albemarle:
Nolan Greene, Proxy for M.; Harry O. Jarman, S.W.; Dan I. Miller, Proxy for J.W.

704 King Solomon (42)—Gastonia:
Seth T. White, Sr., M. and Proxy for Wardens.

705 Richard Caswell (6)—Kinston:
John D. Charlton, M.; Raymond A. Petty, S.W.; William R. Leggett, Proxy for J.W.

706 Newport (8)—Newport:
James W. Smith, M.; Gerald T. Merrill, S.W.; Gilbert M. Slaughter, J.W.

707 Forsyth (35)—Winston Salem:
John R. Bender, M.; Verlin Hutchinson, S.W.; Joseph H. Clowes, J.W.

708 Crown Point (5)—Greenville:
Sam K. Price, M. and Proxy for Wardens.

709 Conover (44)—Conover:
Marvin W. McRary, M.; Lafayette C. Darden, Jr., S.W.; Harry W. Miller, J.W.

710 Advance (46)—Advance:
Ralph C. Ratledge, M.; C. F. Crawford, Proxy for J.W.

711 Piedmont (35)—Winston-Salem:
James C. Story, Sr., M.; Daris P. DeShazo, S.W.; E. Thomas Jenkins, Proxy for J.W.

712 Wilson (17)—Wilson:
Joseph I. Joyner, M. and Proxy for J.W.; Kermit D. Stewart, S.W.

713 McLurd (41)—Stanley:
Clyde C. Sherrill, M.; James R. Handsel, S.W.; Ralph W. Mauney, J.W.

714 Liberty (29)—Liberty:
Clifton H. Ward, M. and Proxy for J.W.; Morgan Fitzgerald, Proxy for S.W.

715 Derita (39)—Derita:
Thomas R. Black, M.; Harold R. Rimer, S.W.; Robert L. Travis, J.W.

716 Hiram (36)—High Point:
D. Boyd Coltrane, M.; Pearl A. Snider, S.W.; Clyde S. Campbell, J.W.

717 Burnsville (53)—Burnsville:
Herschel W. Holcombe, J.W. and Proxy for M. and S.W.

718 Troy (28)—Troy:
E. H. Wood, Proxy for M.; Herman Mattox, Proxy for S.W.; William N. Mullinix, J.W.

719 Horse Creek (55)—Columbus:
Alvin R. West, M.; Hugh A. DeNorville, S.W.; Harry P. Bedelle, Proxy for J.W.

720 Cabarras (38)—Concord:
William D. Alexander, M.; Clarence M. Greene, S.W.; Ray E. Cauthen, J.W.

721 Burlington (30)—Burlington:
Benjamin F. Coleman, Jr., M.; J. B. Freeze, Proxy for S.W.; R. E. Pennington, Sr., Proxy for J.W.

722 King (35)—King:
John T. Wall, M.; Coster E. Robertson, S.W.; David T. Calloway, J.W.

723 Winton (2)—Winton:
Harry B. Ward, Proxy for Officers.

724 Berne (7)—New Bern:
Nathaniel M. Baxter, J.W. and Proxy for M. and S.W.

725 Grantham (7)—Granthams, No. 7 Township, New Bern:
Albert Gianotti, M.; Alvia Hearren, S.W.; Luther M. Yates, J.W.

726 Keystone (40)—Charlotte;
Robert L. Grubb, M.; Peter H. Gerns, S.W.; Lawrence L. Brafford, J.W.

727 Shallotte (11)—Shallotte:
Michael Russ, Proxy for M. and J.W.; James M. Hawes, Proxy for S.W.

728 Meridian (40)—Charlotte:
Marshall E Propst, M.; Lee A. Burke, S.W.; John R. Litaker, J.W.

REPRESENTATIVES OF LODGES UNDER DISPENSATION PRESENT

U.D. Twin County (18)—Rocky Mount:
Maurice Stokes, M.; Francis L. Yost, S.W.; Frank D. Turner, Proxy for J.W.

U.D. Stedman (13)—Stedman:
John R. Bryant, M.; Eldridge H. Cashwell, S.W.; Haywood B. Smith, Jr., J.W.

U.D. John Huske Anderson (13)—Fayetteville:
C. Wallace Jackson, Proxy for M.; Warren H. Collidge, S.W.; Thomas B. Brown, J.W.

REPORT OF THE GRAND TREASURER

(Docket No. 1)

The following report of the Grand Treasurer was presented, received, entered on the record, and referred to the Committee on Finance:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

I herewith submit my Annual Report as Grand Treasurer, for the year ending December 31, 1963:

RECEIPTS:

Balance January 1, 1963	$ 17,093.79	$
Received from the Grand Secretary	235,576.87	
Total Receipts		$252,670.66

DISBURSEMENTS:

Vouchers Numbers 1-63 through 799-63	$228,444.45	
Total Disbursements		$228,444.45
Balance December 31, 1963		$ 24,226.21

DEPOSITS:

Workmen's Fed. Sav. & Loan, Mt. Airy	$ 10,000.00	
Co-op. Savings & Loan, Jacksonville	$ 10,000.00	
State Bank & Trust Company, Greenville	149.34	
Grand Lodge Check No. 30-63	4,076.87	
Total Cash on hand		$ 24,226.21

Collections to date for George Washington Masonic National Memorial Association: (On deposit in following:)

Peoples Savings & Loan, Wilmington	$ 10,000.00
Home Savings & Loan, Greenville	6,428.72
First Fed. Savings & Loan, Greenville	5,949.00
State Bank & Trust Co., Greenville	4,780.75
Total	$ 27,158.47

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES W. BREWER, *Grand Treasurer*

REPORT OF THE GRAND SECRETARY

(Docket No. 2)

The Grand Secretary presented the following report which was received, entered on the record, and referred to the Committee on Finance:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

I herewith submit my Annual Report as Grand Secretary, for the year ending December 31, 1963:

RECEIPTS:

From Lodges	$183,110.50	
Receipts for GWMNMA during 1963	12,160.50	
From Drewry Memorial Grand Secretary's Fund	3,469.95	
From Sales of Books	3,399.05	
From North Carolina Masonic Foundation	20,717.83	
Miscellaneous (Dividends from Savings & Loan, Audit Refunds, etc.)	2,719.04	
Loan from North Carolina Masonic Foundation	10,000.00	
Total Receipts in 1963		$235,576.87
Paid to Grand Treasurer in 1963 (Vouchers Nos. 1-63 through 30-63)		$235,576.87

1963 DISBURSEMENTS AND PROPOSED BUDGET FOR 1964

	Budget 1963	Actual 1963	Proposed 1964
A-1—Oxford Orphanage	$ 50,000.00	$ 50,000.00	$ 50,000.00
A-2—Masonic & Eastern Star Home	21,500.00	21,500.00	21,500.00
A-3—Charity	2,000.00	1,300.00	2,000.00
B-1—Grand Secretary	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00
B-2—Grand Treasurer	500.00	500.00	500.00
B-3—Grand Tyler	100.00	100.00	100.00
B-4—Grand Historian	100.00	100.00	100.00
B-5—Fraternal Correspondent	300.00	300.00	300.00
B-6—Clerical Help, G. S. Office	26,500.00	25,510.80	22,500.00
B-7—Assistant to the Grand Secretary	7,200.00	7,200.00	7,800.00
B-8—Social Security Taxes	.00	1,463.35	1,500.00
C-1—Masonic Service Association	1,550.00	1,520.64	1,550.00
C-2—Grand Masters' Conference	120.00	120.00	120.00
C-3—Grand Secretaries' Conference	30.00	30.00	30.00
C-4—Masonic Relief Assn. of U.S. & Canada	320.00	319.48	325.00
C-5—George Washington Masonic National Memorial Assn.	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
C-6—M. S. A. for Hospital Visitation	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00
D-1—Grand Master's Office and Travel	5,000.00	5,504.29	5,000.00
D-2—Grand Secretary's Travel Expense	2,400.00	2,403.01	2,400.00
D-3—Grand Treasurer's Office	150.00	150.00	150.00
D-4—Deputy Grand Master's Travel	500.00	109.29	500.00
D-5—Lecture Service	7,000.00	8,120.67	7,000.00
D-6—Auditing	1,200.00	1,200.00	1,200.00
E-1—Grand Masters Conf. (Elective Officers)	750.00	732.92	1,375.00
E-2—Visiting Other Grand Lodges	1,800.00	1,728.38	1,800.00
E-3—Representative to MSA and GWMNMA	150.00	150.00	275.00
F-1—Misc. Office Expense	5,500.00	4,186.86	4,500.00
F-2—Postage	.00	1,341.63	1,200.00
F-3—Printing Official Forms	750.00	529.63	600.00
F-4—Printing Proceedings	3,500.00	4,555.35	4,000.00
F-5—Printing Misc. Masonic Ceremonies	400.00	.00	400.00
F-6—Reworking Old Proceedings	250.00	228.71	100.00
F-7—Pantagraph's and other publications	.00	715.02	700.00
F-8—Reprinting The Code (one half in 1964)	.00	.00	3,500.00
G-1—Grand Officers, Annual Communication	1,000.00	2,344.20	2,000.00
G-2—Past Grand Officers, Annual Communication	1,000.00	1,274.54	1,000.00
G-3—D.D.G.M.s. Annual Communication	2,000.00	2,905.86	1,800.00
G-4—DDGLs. Annual Communication	800.00	1,481.21	1,000.00
G-5—Boards and Committees, Annual Communication	950.00	1.892.49	1,200.00
G-6—Guest and Misc. Annual Communication	6,000.00	5,795.55	5,000.00
H-1—Visiting Lodges, DDGMs.	1,800.00	2,466.04	2,000.00
H-2—Visiting Lodges, DDGLs.	700.00	1,000.41	800.00
I-1—Janitor Service	3,300.00	3,265.00	3,300.00
I-2—Light, Heat and Water	3,000.00	2,646.74	2,500.00
I-3—Telephone and Telegraph	1,000.00	1,100.36	1,100.00
I-4—Insurance	1,500.00	2,473.49	2,000.00
I-5—Janitorial Supplies	200.00	176.53	200.00
I-6—Maintenance of Grounds	500.00	320.83	500.00
I-7—Maintenance of Building	500.00	89.01	500.00
I-8—Maintenance of Equipment	1,200.00	1,545.12	1,200.00
I-9—Automobile Expense	200.00	205.90	200.00
I-10—Grand Lodge Bldg. Reserve	.00	.00	5,000.00
J-1—Contingent	8,000.00	4,624.69	4,100.00
J-2—Refunds	100.00	.00	100.00
J-3—Code Commission	900.00	742.73	800.00
J-4—Board of Custodians	3,500.00	3,641.80	3,600.00
J-5—Board of General Purposes	.00	897.37	900.00
J-6—Judge Advocate	800.00	223.04	400.00
J-7—Committee on By-laws	400.00	516.39	300.00
J-8—Lodge Service Commission	500.00	832.36	500.00
J-9—Employees Retirement Allowance	600.00	600.00	600.00
J-10—Committee on Masonic Research and Education	2,000.00	2,311.22	1,000.00
J-11—Automobile for Grand Master	1,500.00	2,750.00	1,500.00
J-12—Office Equipment	1,000.00	568.98	800.00
J-13—Portraits of Grand Masters	2,000.00	2,045.00	2,000.00
J-14—Order of DeMolay	500.00	500.00	300.00
J-15—Order of Rainbow for Girls	250.00	250.00	200.00
J-16—Emblems, Jewels, Awards and Aprons	1,660.00	2,077.61	1,000.00
J-17—Cabinet for Grand Masters' Portraits	1,000.00	861.39	500.00
	$203,930.00	$210.045.89	$206,925.00

RECAPITULATION OF DISBURSEMENTS FOR 1963
AND PROPOSED BUDGET FOR 1964

	Budget 1963	Actual 1963	Proposed 1964
A—Orphanage, Home and Charity	$ 73,500.00	$ 72,800.00	$ 73,500.00
B—Salaries	44,700.00	43,710.80	42,800.00
C—Masonic Dues	6,020.00	5,990.12	6,025.00
D—Sundry Expense	16,250.00	17,487.26	16,250.00
E—Grand Representatives Out of State	2,700.00	2,611.30	3,450.00
F—Expense, Grand Secretary's Office	10,400.00	11,557.20	14,600.00
G—Expense, Annual Communication	11,750.00	15,693.85	12,000.00
H—District Deputies	2,500.00	3,466.45	2,800.00
I—Expense, Executive Office Building	11,400.00	11,822.98	16,500.00
J—Miscellaneous Expense	24,710.00	24,905.93	19,000.00
Totals	$203,930.00	$210.045.89	$206.925.00

ESTIMATE OF INCOME IN 1964

63,967 Masons @ $2.50		$159,917.50	
2,050 Initiations @ $1.00		2.050.00	
2,050 Charity Fees @ $10.00		20,500.00	
Drewry Fund Income		3,500.00	
Income From North Carolina Masonic Foundation		21,500.00	
Refunds from Audits		700.00	
Savings and Loans Dividends		2,000.00	
Miscellaneous Sales of Books		4,000.00	
Total Income		$214,167.50	
Bank Balance December 31, 1963	$ 24,226.21		
Less Accounts Payable	10,000.00	14,226.21	
Total Estimated Income		$228,393.71	
Total Suggested Budget for 1964			$206,925.00
Operating Balance			21,468.71
Totals		$228,393.71	$228,393.71

CHARTERS

A Charter was issued to Meridian Lodge No. 728, A.F. & A.M., Charlotte, on April 17, 1963.

Facsimile of the Petition for Charter and of the Charter for Meridian Lodge No. 728 will be found in the Appendix to the 1963 Proceedings.

PHOTOGRAPHIC CHARTERS

A photographic copy of the Charter issued to each of the following lodges was made and delivered. A *facsimile* of each photographic charter will be found in the Appendix to these 1964 Proceedings:

Charity Lodge No. 5, Joseph Warren Lodge No. 92, Person Lodge No. 113 and Archer Lodge No. 165.

DISPENSATIONS

Dispensations were granted during the year 1963 to the following Lodges and the lodges were duly instituted Under Dispensation by Most Worshipful Brother William Edward Burrier, Grand Master, on the dates indicated:

July 22, 1963, to 31 brethren for the establishment of Twin County Lodge U. D., to be located at Rocky Mount, Nash County.

September 16, 1963, to 26 brethren for the establishment of Stedman Lodge U. D., to be located at Stedman, Cumberland County.

September 16, 1963, to 61 brethren for the establishment of John Huske Anderson Lodge U.D., to be located at Fayetteville, Cumberland County.

November 29, 1963, to 36 brethren for the establishment of Bush Hill Lodge U. D., to be located at Archdale, Randolph County.

Facsimiles of the Petitions for Dispensation and the Dispensation of each lodge will be found in the Appendix of these 1964 Proceedings.

LODGES CONSOLIDATED

On August 15, 1963, Unaka Lodge No. 506, Unaka, North Carolina, consolidated with Montgomery Lodge No. 426, Ranger, North Carolina, as Montgomery Lodge No. 426 at Ranger, North Carolina.

Facsimiles of the documents in connection with this consolidation will be found in the Appendix to these 1964 Proceedings.

ESTIMATE OF MEMBERSHIP

As of December 31, 1963

Number Master Masons reported as of December 31, 1962			63,532
Number Net Corrections in Annual Returns for 1962			9
CORRECTED Totals as of December 31, 1962			63,523
ADD: Gains in 1963:			
Number INITIATED	2,050		
Number PASSED	1,976		
Number RAISED		1,984	
Number ADMITTED		531	
Number RESTORED		248	
Total Gains			2,763
Total			66,286
DEDUCT: Losses in 1963:			
Number EXPELLED		5	
Number SUSPENDED U. M. C.		5	
Number EXCLUDED for N. P. D.		641	
Number DEMITTED		530	
Number DIED		1,142	
Total Losses			2,319
Total Number Master Masons December 31, 1963			63,967
NET GAIN for 1963			444
Petitions for the Degrees Rejected in 1963			400

(NOTE: The foregoing figures under ESTIMATE OF MEMBERSHIP are subject to change as the Annual Returns of the Lodges are audited during the year.)

CHARTERED LODGES AND LODGES UNDER DISPENSATION

Number of Chartered Lodges as of December 31, 1962 364
ADD: Chartered April 17, 1963:
Meridian Lodge No. 728, Charlotte, N. C. 1

365

DEDUCT: Lost by consolidation: Unaka Lodge No. 506 consolidated with Montgomery Lodge No. 426 as Montgomery Lodge No. 426 on August 15, 1963 1

Number Chartered Lodges as of December 31, 1963 364
ADD: Lodges Under Dispensation as of December 31, 1963: Twin County Lodge at Rocky Mount, Stedman Lodge at Stedman, John Huske Anderson Lodge at Fayetteville, and Bush Hill Lodge at Archdale 4

TOTAL Number of Lodges Chartered and Under Dispensation as of December 31, 1963 368

THE GRAND LODGE OF NORTH CAROLINA SERVICE AWARDS

(25-Year Certificates)

A total of 617 Grand Lodge Service Awards (25-Year Certificates) were presented during the year 1963.

THE GRAND LODGE OF NORTH CAROLINA VETERANS' EMBLEMS

(50-Year Pins and Service Certificates)

A total of 114 Veterans' Emblems and Veterans' Award Certificates were presented during the year 1963.

A complete list of the brethren to whom these awards were presented will be found in the Appendix to the Proceedings for 1964.

THE GRAND LODGE OF NORTH CAROLINA DIAMOND JUBILEE AWARDS

(60-Year Pins and Service Certificates)

A total of 33 Diamond Jubilee Awards and Diamond Jubilee Award Certificates were presented during the year 1963.

A complete list of the brethren to whom these awards were presented will be found in the Appendix to the Proceedings for 1964.

EMERGENT COMMUNICATIONS OF THE GRAND LODGE

Emergent Communications of the Grand Lodge have been held as follows:

October 29, 1963, at Fort Bragg, for the purpose of laying the cornerstone of the new Masonic Temple of Fort Bragg Lodge No. 667, A.F. & A.M.

October 30, 1963, at Greenville, for the purpose of laying the cornerstone of the new Masonic Temple of Greenville Lodge No. 284 and Crown Point Lodge No. 708, A.F. & A.M.

November 1, 1963, at Oxford, for the purpose of laying the cornerstone of the New Boys Cottage No. 1 on the campus of Oxford Orphanage.

November 22, 1963, at Roxboro, for the purpose of laying the cornerstone of the new Masonic Temple of Person Lodge No. 113, A.F. & A.M.

December 20, 1963, at Asheville, for the purpose of conducting Masonic Graveside Rites over the remains of our deceased Brother, Most Worshipful John Catlett Vance, Past Grand Master, who passed away on Wednesday morning, December 18, 1963.

January 10, 1964, at Millbrook, for the purpose of installing Worshipful Brother William Watson Mims, Jr., as Grand Steward of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina, to replace Worshipful Brother Frederick Harding Trethewey, who resigned as Grand Steward.

January 27, 1964, at Copeland, for the purpose of dedicating the new Masonic Temple of Copeland Lodge No. 390, A.F. & A.M.

April 15, 1964, at Roxboro, for the purpose of dedicating the new Masonic Temple of Person Lodge No. 113, A.F. & A.M.

April 17, 1964, at Kinston, for the purpose of laying the cornerstone of St. John's Lodge No. 4, A.F. & A.M.

APPRECIATION

This has been an eventful year and I am more appreciative than ever to my grand Assistant to the Grand Secretary, and to this extraordinary office force for the outstanding services rendered to the Grand Lodge during this Masonic year. Without their wonderful help I am sure I would not have been able to carry on my double duties to the Grand Lodge and Sudan Temple.

Most Worshipful Brother W. Edward Burrier, Grand Master of Masons in North Carolna, has had a grand year as the head of the Craft in our Grand Jurisdiction, and has rendered outstanding service to our Grand Lodge. He has received national recognition in being selected on boards and committees of the Conference of Grand Masters of North America, the Masonic Service Association, and the George Washington Masonic National Memorial Association. He is recognized everywhere for his great ability, and he has brought much credit and honor to the Grand Lodge of North Carolina. He has done a magnificent job in this high office and I regret to see him bow out.

Our thanks, too, to all the Secretaries and other lodge Officers in North Carolina for their continued help and sympathetic understanding.

Respectfully submitted,
CHARLES A. HARRIS, P.G.M.,
Grand Secretary

REPORT OF THE AUDITOR

(Docket No. 3)

The following report of Brother Walter A. Watts, Certified Public Accountant, Auditor, was presented, entered on the record and referred to the Committee on Finance:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

Copies of my report for the year ended December 31, 1963, have been delivered to the Grand Secretary. Separate copies were mailed to

the Superintendent of the Masonic and Eastern Star Home and to the Business Manager of the Oxford Orphanage.

Your attention is directed to the reports for my opinion of the financial position of the Grand Lodge, the Home, and the Orphanage as of December 31, 1963, and the results of their operations for the year then ended.

All financial records were well kept and in excellent condition.

Respectfully submitted,
WALTER A. WATTS, C.P.A., *Auditor*

REPORT OF THE CODE COMMISSION

(Docket No. 4)

The following report of the Code Commission was received and entered on the record, referred to the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence and to the Committee on Finance:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

ITEM I

At the meeting of the Board of General Purposes held January 10, 1964, at Raleigh, the Grand Secretary reported that he had on hand only 69 copies of THE CODE and that it would be necessary to consider either (1) the reprinting of present CODE or (2) making a complete revision thereof and printing that revision.

Since there had not been an appropriation for this job, it was suggested that the matter be held in abeyance until the annual communication of the Grand Lodge in April, 1964, at which time the financial matters could be considered and the necessary fund be made available for the job, under either plan, as suggested in 1 or 2 above.

ITEM II

Owing to the cost of either of the above suggestions, numbered 1 and 2, and also the cost of printing the "Digest of Masonic Law of North Carolina," it was suggested that further work on the "Digest" be deferred until the matter of THE CODE has been settled.

ITEM III

No other matters have been referred to us since the annual communication of 1963.

Respectfully submitted,
CHARLES B. NEWCOMB, P.G.M.,
Chairman
EMERY B. DENNY, P.M.
J. GILES HUDSON, P.G.M.

(NOTE: See Resolution pertaining to Revision of Code, Docket No. 27, Page 88; also Report of Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence on Page 168, Docket No. 59, Item No. 5. Reserve Appropriation approved and budgeted under Item F-8. See Report of Committee on Finance, Docket No. 58 on Page 165 of these Proceedings.)

REPORT OF THE LODGE SERVICE COMMISSION

(Docket No. 5)

The following report of the Lodge Service Commission was presented, received and entered on the record:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Lodge Service Commission respectfully submits the following report fcr the period beginning February 10, 1963 and ending February 10, 1964:

LODGE NAME	NO.	DATE APPROVED	REMARKS
*Concord	58	July 2, 1963	Form of deed approved. Debt not to exceed $25,000.00
Morning Star	85	July 15, 1963	Form of deed only—approved
Jerusalem	95	Nov. 11, 1963	Form of deed only and purchase of building, approved. No debt.
Person	113	August 12, 1963	Debt not to exceed $24,000.00 and form of conveyances approved.
Mount Lebanon	117	October 22, 1963	Form of deed only—approved.
Greenville	284	October 7, 1963	Debt not to exceed $50,000.00 and forms of conveyances —approved. See also No. 708.
University	408	August 30, 1963	Debt not to exceed $2,000.00 and forms of conveyances —approved.
Marietta	444	August 12, 1963	Form of deed only. Approved. No debt.
Lexington	473	Nov. 11, 1963	Debt not to exceed $2,500.00 and form of conveyance—approved.
Casar	579	July 5, 1963	Debt not to exceed $5,000.00 additional and forms of conveyances—approved.
Fort Bragg	667	Nov. 18, 1963	Lease approved as to form only.
Semper Fidelis	680	Nov. 6, 1963	Debt not to exceed $1,500.00 additional and forms of conveyances—approved.
Angier	686	April 15, 1963	Debt not to exceed $5,000.00 and forms of conveyances —approved.
Chas. M. Setzer	693	Sept. 26, 1963	Form of lease only—approved.
Crown Point	708	October 7, 1963	Debt not to exceed $50,000.00 and forms of conveyances —approved. See also No. 284.

1. The applications filed by the above lodges have been approved and the lodges are at work on their programs.

*2. The application of this lodge (58) was approved July 2, 1963, but upon further consideration the lodge decided not to proceed further at this time.

3. In addition to the fifteen lodges reported above, the Commission has received inquires from nineteen lodges concerning the procedure required under Regulations 49-05, as amended April 17, 1957, as it relates to lodge building programs; and in every case, we have promptly furnished detailed information and proper forms on which to file applications.

4. Under the provisions of Chapter 36 of THE CODE, it has not been necessary for the commission to hold a meeting or organize because the Grand Master names our Chairman, and our business has been conducted by correspondence as permitted under Regulation 36-02.

Respectfully submitted,
CHARLES B. NEWCOMB, P.G.M.,
Chairman

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON BY-LAWS OF SUBORDINATE LODGES

(Docket No. 6)

The Committee on By-Laws of Subordinate Lodges presented the following report which was adopted:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

Your Committee on By-Laws of Subordinate Lodges reports that amendments and new by-laws of the following-named lodges were considered by your Committee between February 10, 1963, and February 10, 1964:

PRELIMINARY BY-LAWS OF LODGES

U. D.	Approved [Reg. 44-02(1)]
Stedman	May 27, 1963
Twin County	June 24, 1963
John Huske Anderson	August 29, 1963
Bush Hill	October 28, 1963

COMPLETE REVISION OF BY-LAWS

LODGE NAME	NO.	DATE APPROVED
Archer	165	June 24, 1963
Mooresboro	388	December 10, 1963
University	408	August 22, 1963
Dillsboro	459	June 25, 1963
Charles M. Setzer	693	February 20, 1963

AMENDMENTS TO BY-LAWS: APPROVED

LODGE NAME	NO.	DATE APPROVED
Johnston-Caswell	10	December 18, 1963
Hiram	40	April 5, 1963
Liberty	45	June 13, 1963
Widows Son	75	July 29, 1963

Lodge Name	No.	Date Approved
Greensboro	76	December 2, 1963
Zion	81	December 5, 1963
Fulton	99	March 29, 1963
Franklin	109	May 23, 1963
Franklinton	123	December 5, 1963
Mount Vernon	143	November 12, 1963
Palmyra	147	July 15, 1963
Pee Dee	150	December 23, 1963
Sanford	151	September 13, 1963
Buffalo	172	August 26, 1963
Mingo	206	May 22, 1963
Catawba Valley	217	November 20, 1963
Waynesville	259	November 6, 1963
Raeford	306	October 25, 1963
Wilmington	319	July 19, 1963
Mattamuskeet	328	September 3, 1963
Bayboro	331	November 11, 1963
Numa F. Reid	344	September 26, 1963
Snow	363	February 25, 1963
State Line	375	July 17, 1963
Coharie	379	December 2, 1963
Pigeon River	386	March 19, 1963
Pigeon River	386	January 15, 1964
Siler City	403	November 11, 1963
University	408	August 28, 1963
University	408	September 26, 1963
Relief	431	July 8, 1963
Biltmore	446	July 19, 1963
St. Pauls	474	December 4, 1963
Pilot	493	December 2, 1963
Mooresville	496	June 27, 1963
Farmville	517	July 11, 1963
Widows Son	519	July 16, 1963
Manteo	521	December 12, 1963
Fairmont	528	December 4, 1963
Elise	555	November 13, 1963
Ararat	558	September 26, 1963
Tabor	563	July 15, 1963
Meadow Branch	578	October 9, 1963
Riverside	606	December 13, 1963
Belmont	627	December 5, 1963
Walnut Cove	629	July 30, 1963
Washington	675	May 23, 1963
Pioneer	685	September 10, 1963
Cherry Point	688	May 21, 1963
Garner	701	May 8, 1963
Advance	710	March 11, 1963
Hiram	716	January 21, 1964
Winton	723	June 17, 1963
Keystone	726	June 17, 1963
Meridian	728	January 6, 1964

AMENDMENTS NOT APPROVED

LODGE NAME	NO.	DATE NOT APPROVED
Palmyra	147	July 15, 1963

Respectfully submitted,
CHARLES B. NEWCOMB, P.G.M.
Chairman
Committee on By-Laws of
Subordinate Lodges

REPORT OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON THE GRAND LODGE LIBRARY

(Docket No. 7)

The following report of the Special Committee on Grand Lodge Library was presented and entered on the record:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

Your Special Committee on the Grand Lodge Library wishes to commend those who were responsible for the installation of the useful and attractive cloth curtains installed in the upper west windows of the Library. These curtains, together with the proper attention to the air conditioning system when in operation, appear to protect the books from moisture.

All books appear neat and well arranged.

This Committee offers the following recommendations:

1. That oak tables and chairs to match the present furniture be purchased to assist the craft in using the Library for study and research.
2. That the Grand Lodge adopt a long-range program of educating a suitable person, expertly trained, to have charge of our Library.

We urge that the Craft throughout our Grand Jurisdiction avail themselves of every opportunity to visit our Library located in the Executive Offices of the Grand Lodge in Raleigh.

The Grand Secretary will please accept our thanks for his cooperation with the Library Committee.

Respectfully submitted,
C. TRENHOLM MCCLENAGHAN
Chairman

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CHARITY

(Docket No. 8)

The Committee on Charity presented the following report which was entered on the record and referred to the Committee on Finance:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

As Chairman of the Committee on Charity of the Grand Lodge of

North Carolina, during the year 1963, I recommend that financial aid be given to the following case:

Rev. Brother Rufus M. Phillips____________________$100.00
Neil S. Stewart Lodge No. 556

Respectfully submitted,
RICHARD D. TURNER, *Chairman*
Committee on Charity

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE MASONIC AND EASTERN STAR HOME OF NORTH CAROLINA, INC.

(Docket No. 9)

The following report of the Committee on the Masonic and Eastern Star Home of North Carolina, Incorporated, was presented, received and entered on the record:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Committee on the Masonic and Eastern Star Home, Inc., met at the Home in Greensboro, North Carolina on Sunday, February 23, 1964, in conformity with Regulation 38-16 of THE CODE.

The meeting was convened in the office of Brother Troy G. Robbins, Superintendent, where the report of the Auditor was examined and various points were discussed in detail. From the financial statement the Committee noted that the monetary affairs of the home were in good order. Brother Robbins was most helpful in explaining many details and answering questions. The Committee noted with satisfaction that the income of the Home has shown a steady increase since 1958 and especially from 1962 to 1963. It was felt that this was largely due to the efforts of Brother Robbins in visiting the various district meetings to tell the subordinate lodges about the Home.

After lunch in the Dining Room the Committee was conducted on a tour of the facilities of the Home and these were found to be in good order, very clean and properly cared for. This tour included the newest portion of the Home which has been completed in the past year. It also included the older buildings and the grounds. Brother Robbins advised the Committee that the Board of Directors have taken action to enlarge the Dining Room and Kitchen facilities and following that to build a new 40-bed infirmary. The construction of this infirmary will eventually free the present infirmary space for use as a dormitory for more guests.

The reasons for this action were clearly evident to the Committee. The present buildings and space are being operated as efficiently as possible, properly heated and safeguarded with firedoors at strategic spots and with outside fire escapes properly located. It is apparent that some parts of the building have about outlived their usefulness and the Committee applauds the action of the Board of Directors in their present plans. We urge that this long range planning be continued so that eventually the Home will be a completely fireproof structure, modern in every way, that will serve the needs of the guests who are now being taken care of and add additional space to accommodate more

guests. We also feel that some type of assembly room large enough for all of the guests to gather should be kept in mind as a future possibility.

We commend Brother William K. Price, Sr., for the efficient job he is doing as Business Manager and Treasurer in order that Brother Robbins may be free of some details and devote more time to his other duties.

The Committee would also like to compliment Brother Robbins for the way and manner in which he is conducting the affairs of the Home. The Committee talked to many of the guests and questioned them privately and found that all were high in their praise of Brother Robbins. We noted that an atmosphere of kindness prevailed at the Home and that the guests all seemed to be contented. The Masons of North Carolina can be assured that the spiritual, physical and emotional needs of the guests are being properly cared for.

The Committee recommends that every Mason in North Carolina support the Home as liberally as he can. Though, as we noted, the monetary support from the subordinate lodges has gradually increased in the past few years, it will take the continued efforts of every Mason to keep this support ahead of the increasing costs of our time and the increasing number of elderly persons we are called upon to care for in the twilight of their lives.

Respectfully submitted,
BEN C. MAFFITT, JR., P. M. (31)
Chairman

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON OXFORD ORPHANAGE, INC.

(Docket No. 10)

The following report of the Committee on Oxford Orphanage was presented and entered on the record:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Committee on Oxford Orphanage met in the Conference Room at Oxford Orphanage on Monday, January 20, 1964, at twelve o'clock noon. Following a delightful luncheon with the children, the Committee was convened and we submit the following report.

We find that the Orphanage under the very able leadership of the Superintendent, Worshipful Brother A. D. Leon Gray, is progressing beautifully. In going over the financial reports and the reports of the officers and directors, we find that five new buildings have been built on the campus since 1951. Twelve more cottages are to be built to house 350 children in fireproof buildings. One of these buildings is now under construction.

We find that there are now 318 children in the home, 6% from Masonic parents and 30% from Masonic background. We find that the school is now a Grade A standardized school. We call attention to the fact that the 1963 graduating class was composed of 28 students, of which 18 continued into advanced education financed by scholarship funds from the Orphanage.

Under the provision of the Code, we found the condition of the property will be excellent when the proposed new buildings are com-

pleted. Management of the business we found to be most efficient in every respect.

The officers and directors are doing an excellent job, meeting in quarterly session and in close contact with the entire program.

Under recommendations, we recommend and urge the brethren to visit the Orphanage and see for themselves the monument that is being built to Masonry on the foundation of brotherly love. We recommend that the same officers and directors be continued.

Finally, we heartily commend Brother Gray for his efforts in behalf of our children and respectfully suggest that the success of the Orphanage is but the length and shadow of one man and that one man is Brother Gray. It is our considered opinion that this Grand Lodge owes Brother Gray a debt of gratitude.

Respectfully submitted,
Committee on Oxford Orphanage
ARNOLD J. KOONCE, SR., J.G.W. (716)
Chairman

REPORT OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON ORGANIZATION OF NEW LODGES

(Docket No. 11)

The following report of the Special Committee on Organization of New Lodges was presented and entered on the record:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

Your Commitee understands that a resolution will be introduced at this Annual Communication which will permit dual membership in North Carolina lodges, provided the dual membership is for the purpose of becoming a charter member of a new lodge only. We think this is a forward step in the history of our Grand Lodge and we hope our brethren will be favorably inclined toward this resolution.

During the year 1964 we instituted four new lodges; one each at Rocky Mount, Fayetteville, Stedman and Archdale. At the present time a new lodge is in the making at Sneads Ferry, Onslow County, and the brethren at Monroe have expressed interest in forming a new lodge in their city.

It is our feeling that, if many brethren felt they could keep their ties with the old mother lodge, in whatever state they hold membership, and still be a charter member of a new lodge in North Carolina, we would have many more new lodges annually than has been the case in the past.

In our report to the Grand Lodge last April we called attention to the average size of lodges in several countries. These ranged in size from an average of 53 in Germany to 117 in Australasia. Our own North Carolina average is about 174, but 21 of our lodges show totals of from 450 to 1124 members. The average of 174 today in 368 lodges compares with the following:

1924—456 lodges with a total of 42,242 members, or an average of 93 per lodge

1938—336 lodges—total 26,721 members—average 79 members per lodge

1945—315 lodges—total 35,014 members—average 111 members per lodge

Your Grand Secretary's office is anxious and willing to help any group anywhere in North Carolina to organize new lodges.

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES W. BREWER, P. G. M.,
Chairman

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FRATERNAL CORRESPONDENCE

(Docket No. 12)

The following report of the Committee on Fraternal Correspondence was received, entered on the record, and the recommendation *that the Grand Lodge of North Carolina continue its declaration of severing fraternal relations with the Grand Lodge of Cuba in Cuba, and that the Grand Lodge of North Carolina continue fraternal relations with the Grand Lodge of Cuba in Exile in Florida,* was unanimously adopted. The report was then adopted as a whole:

To The Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

We herewith submit our third annual report of the Commitee on Fraternal Correspondence of this Grand Jurisdiction.

Two years ago, from information available at that time, we commended the Grand Lodge of Florida for its humanitarian attitude in assisting those Masons who had fled from Cuba due to the intolerable condition which had arisen in that Grand Jurisdiction, and also for granting permission and protection to the Grand Lodge of Cuba in exile in Florida, under certain conditions which were stated at that time.

Last year we recommended after due consideration and on reliable information, that we recognize the Grand Jurisdiction of India and also of Belgium, and accept them as Sovereign Grand Lodges and worthy of Fraternal Relations. However, the situation in Cuba had become so puzzling, and reports were so conflicting, with the picture changing so much that we were unwilling to make a recommendation either for or against the Grand Lodge of Cuba in Cuba or the Grand Lodge of Cuba in Exile in Florida. The attitude of several Grand Jurisdictions had changed so much and to such an extent that certain Edicts had been issued that were not clear in their meaning.

We therefore recommended that the matter of recognition of the Grand Lodge of Cuba in Cuba and the recognition of the Grand Lodge of Cuba in exile in Florida, and the visitations of its members in the Grand Lodge of North Carolina, be referred to the incoming Grand Master for his action.

Accordingly, Brother W. Edward Burrier, Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, after thorough investigation and inquiry, and

after receiving various reports did on July 9, 1963 issue such an Edict, the text of which will be found in the Grand Master's report.

Most of the Grand Jurisdictions have commended our Grand Master for the position he had followed in issuing his EDICT, although one or two Grand Jurisdictions have not withdrawn recognition of the Grand Lodge of Cuba in Cuba.

With these conditions existing and an apparent attitude of indifference in co-operating with any of the terms expressed in the EDICT of our Grand Master, and with no other information available at the present time, we recommend that the Grand Lodge of North Carolina commend our Grand Master for the position outlined in his EDICT of July 9, 1963, and that we continue our declaration of severing Fraternal Relations with the Grand Lodge of Cuba, and that we continue our present Fraternal Relations with the Grand Lodge of Cuba, in Exile, in Florida, recognized by the Grand Lodge of North Carolina in Annual Communication in April, 1962.

Fraternally submitted,
CHAS. H. PUGH, *Chairman*

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF MASONIC AND EASTERN STAR HOME OF NORTH CAROLINA, INC.

(Docket No. 13)

The Board of Directors of the Masonic and Eastern Star Home of North Carolina, Incorporated, presented the following report which was received, entered on the record, and referred to the Committee on Finance and to the Committee on Masonic and Eastern Star Home:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

Five Hundred and Seventy-Five eligible and deserving persons have been admitted as Guests to your Home over the past fifty years. One hundred and forty-two needy Brothers and Sisters unable to enter the Home as a Guest have been assisted financially during the same period. We believe the record of the past year to be one of our best and are happy to make a report on our stewardship.

At the beginning of 1963 we had eighty-eight Guests enrolled and during the year we admitted thirty-two, thus closing the year with one hundred and one thankful Guests. The final chapter of life was written for seventeen of our Brothers and Sisters, they having been called to their Eternal Home. Two of our Guests became permanent patients in hospitals specifically adapted to meet their needs. With vacancies and admissions occurring all during the year, we had an average of ninety-eight Guests in the Home each day.

A certain trend is clearly seen in looking at a few of the statistics pertaining to our infirmary; namely, our Guests are more feeble at time of admission, we have more permanent infirmary residents and the average infirmary patient lives longer due to improved medical care. The average daily enrollment was 29.75 patients per day, nine-

teen of whom are permanent residents therein. Seventy-four different Guests received treatment and care during the year by spending as much as three days as an infirmary patient. Seventeen of our Guests were admitted to outside medical hospital centers for surgery or special treatment. From our budget we paid for one hundred eighty-one days of hospital care. Our outside medical expense for the year was $7,510.03 as compared to $6,124.02 for the previous year. Again we are happy to report that the Board of Directors of the Moses H. Cone Memorial Hospital gave us $1,000 in free service but this amount is not reflected in our outside medical expense.

A long range planning committee composed of several members of the Board of Directors has been hard at work during the year in an effort to secure plans for the new building to house our cooking and dining facilities. This is in keeping with the approved expansion program of facilities at the Home as adopted at the Grand Lodge Communication in New Bern. At this writing the plans and specifications are in process of being completed and it is hoped that the construction soon will be under way.

Again, it is my happy privilege to report that the Masons and Eastern Stars increased their support for the Home over the preceding year. From the subordinate Lodges we received $75,284.95, which was a 5.4% increase over the previous year. Due to increased enrollment we were able to hold our per capita operating costs to $1,740.50 per annum. The 1964 Budget adopted by your Board of Directors is $223,-137.00.

Following is a condensed summary of operations for 1963 and five preceding years:

	Operating Expense	Home Aid	Average Enrollment	Per Capita Cost
1958	$107,588.86	$3,220.00	74.4	$1,446.08
1959	115,330.13	3,805.00	74.3	1,552.22
1960	122,221.27	4,340.00	74.7	1,636.16
1961	131,720.35	4,626.00	76.6	1,719.58
1962	147,497.64	2,610.00	80.0	1,843.72
1963	170,486.74	2,135.00	97.9	1,740.50

Brethren, I must emphasize this fact: We have 33⅓% more Guests in the Home, but our contributions from the Blue Lodges for 1963 exceeded that of 1962 by only 5.4%.

The Sunshine Fund furnished by the Eastern Stars and friends and the Carson York Rite Fund furnished by the Grand York Rite Bodies make it possible for the Guests to have daily papers, magazines and a few extras, adding joy and contentment to their Home life.

I am confident that I speak the sentiment of each member of your Board of Directors when I say that the experience of serving thereon is one of our greatest joys.

On behalf of the Board of Directors I am indeed grateful to everyone who has responded to the needs of the Home with such generosity.

Fraternally yours,

ROBERT N. BASS, JR., *President*

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF THE MASONIC & EASTERN STAR HOME OF NORTH CAROLINA, INC.

(Docket No. 14)

Brother Troy G. Robbins, Superintendent of the Masonic and Eastern Star Home of North Carolina, Inc., presented the following report which was received and entered on the record:

To The Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

One hundred Guests are now safely abiding in the Home prepared for them by Brother Master Masons and members of the Order of the Eastern Star, whose work dates back to the beginning of the century. The Home as we know it today is generously supported, adequately maintained and properly operated as a joint enterprise on a 60-40 basis respectively with the Masons and Eastern Stars of North Carolina. The record written for 1963 is one of which you can be justly proud.

Six years ago (1958) having 75 Guests in the Home, our per capita cost of operating expense was $1,446.08. Today we can look at the record of the past year and see that our per capita cost was $1,740.50 with an average daily enrollment of 98 Guests in the Home. We have increased our enrollment during the past six years from 75 to 100; hence, we are able to have advantages reflected in the cost by the increased enrollment. Our 1963 Operating Expense Budget totaled $193,926.00 but the current budget (1964) amounts to $223,137.00. Thus we look forward with faith believing that the Brothers and Sisters of these 100 aging but deserving Brother Master Masons, their mothers, sisters, widows and daughters will be given a Home, not only during the current year but throughout their lives.

I want to mention two or three things which have occurred during the year that are of great importance, not only to the physical properties of the Home but to the general welfare of all who live here.

The inter-communication system, the project of Worthy Grand Matron Sister Ella M. Holthouser, is one of the greatest assets we now have at the Home. In addition to communicating between the Matron's office and each of the bedrooms, we can use the same system as an emergency alarm in case of necessity. This gives our Guests a greater feeling of security and enhances peace of mind. It must be said also that our Worthy Grand Matron furnished the Home with an autoclave to be used in our infirmary and a new tractor with certain attachments which can be used to improve the beauty of the Home grounds. Let me commend every Sister and Brother of the Order of the Eastern Star who responded so generously to the appeal of our Worthy Grand Matron.

Another good thing that happened to us during the year which may to some seem but a trifle, is somewhat like finding a pot of gold. We have had the most delicious, delectable, fine jams and jellies brought to us from all parts of the State from practically every Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star and frankly we have become spoiled children in having so much of such good sweets. We know it

would be a bit selfish but must say we wish we could be fortunate enough to have home-made jellies sent to us every year.

If you have visited the Home recently you surely have noticed some refrigerators placed in the halls at key places. The Guests are using this convenience for their special treats which they enjoy late at night or on a hot afternoon.

Our orchids are blooming almost constantly now and it is very rare not to be able to see at least five or six beautiful orchids in full bloom placed in conspicuous places about the Home.

I now must say something in this report which I wish could be omitted; namely, that we have 26 deserving Brothers and Sisters whose applications have been approved and we cannot take them into the Home until 26 of our Guests have expired. Usually each vacancy is filled on the day following the passing of one of the Guests in the Home.

I hope that every member of our Order will read carefully the President's Report to the Grand Lodge and Grand Chapter since immediate and future plans for the operation of the Home are presented therein. It is our sincere desire to see the beginning of immediate construction of additional and modern facilities so sorely needed at the homesite. Please, my Brothers and Sisters, continue to do what you can toward the improvement for better service at the Home.

Respectfully submitted,
TROY G. ROBBINS, *Superintendent*

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON MASONIC HERITAGE WEEK

(Docket No. 15)

The Committee on Masonic Heritage Week presented the following report which was received, entered on the record and referred to the incoming Grand Master:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

Many inquiries were made to all the known Grand Jurisdictions holding or sponsoring Masonic Heritage programs, such as Kentucky, New York, California, and others, who in most instances employed a professional person or firm to handle the formation of plans for such a project.

In some instances, individual lodges held such programs under the direction of a Grand Lodge Committee comparable to our Special Committee on Masonic Research and Education. In some instances, such programs were held only by the Lodges in a District or in a few of the larger cities over their States where meeting accommodations for large numbers could be made available. In Kentucky, one meeting for the entire State is held in the City of Louisville where they can accommodate some 15,000 in their fair grounds stadium.

Another problem that confronted your Committee was whether or not such a program should include allied and appendant Masonic-connected organizations such as the Shrine, York Rite Bodies, Scottish Rite Bodies, Eastern Star, et al.

One Grand Jurisdiction, during Masonic Heritage Week opens on Monday Night with the program by Master Mason Lodges, the next night by the Scottish Rite, the next night by the York Rite, the next night by the Shrine, the next by the Eastern Star, the next by DeMolay, etc. These meetings are held on a State level but could he held on a local level as well.

In the event the incoming Grand Master wishes to continue the study of the possibility and feasibility of a Masonic Heritage Program, it is suggested that the services of a professional person or persons be secured to either organize or advise his committee on perfecting plans for such a program since the ultimate goal and purpose of such a program or programs is primarily a public relations matter to acquaint not only the members of the Craft with our great heritage but the public at large, as well.

Respectfully submitted,
CHARLES C. RICKER, *Chairman*

REPORT OF THE GRAND LECTURER

(Docket No. 16)

The following report of the Grand Lecturer was received and entered on the record:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The past three years in which I have been permitted to serve as Grand Lecturer has been one of the greatest and most enjoyable experiences of my Masonic life. It is difficult to find words that will adequately express my deep feeling of appreciation for the honor and privilege accorded me. I shall always be grateful to those who made it possible. I am particularly indebted to Most Worshipful W. Edward Burrier, James G. Johnston, Charles B. Newcomb, Charles A. Harris, and many others who have given freely of their time and wise counsel to make my task easier and more effective.

The year 1963 was one in which considerable progress was made in the field of ritualistic proficiency and Masonic Education. I wish to take this means to thank and congratulate the fine dedicated group of District Deputy Grand Lecturers for their outstanding performance. To them, more than to me, belongs the credit for the progress reported herein.

I am grateful for the many kind invitations to visit with you at your communications, your District Meetings, your banquets, etc., and I apologize that I could accept so few of them, however, I have spent just about every available free hour during the past year on the administrative details of the important task of Grand Lecturer.

LECTURE SERVICE

Again it is my pleasure to report that all lodges in this Grand Jurisdiction are current as to Lecture Service for the year 1963. The Grand Lodge joins me in expressing our gratitude to the District Deputy Grand Lecturers and Certified Lecturers for making this the seventh consecutive year in which this perfect goal has been attained.

REPORT ON RITUALISTIC WORK AND ACTIVITIES

Fifty-six of the fifty-seven Masonic Districts have filed a report on the conditions and activities of the various lodges in their respective district as required by THE CODE, forty-nine districts report that two or more Schools of Instruction were held, seven held only one school and one held no school during the year.

A careful study and analysis of these reports indicates that interest in the ritualistic work continues to improve throughout the state and that steady progress is being made towards having proficient degree work in every lodge.

It has been mentioned and discussed by many of the brethren and all agree that the degree work could be made more uniform if the work which is silent as to any action in floor work were more clearly defined in the O. S. W.

MASONIC EDUCATION

The use of the Lodge System of Masonic Education continues to improve year after year and the reports indicate there is a larger number using this system more effectively than in the past. There are 355 lodges now using this system. The remaining 13 lodges, 5 of which fail to report, we hope will avail themselves of this valuable instrument in the coming year.

A list of the brethren being recommended for appointment as District Deputy Grand Lecturers of the 57 Masonic Districts will be printed in the Proceedings.

Respectfully submitted,
NATHANIEL C. DEAN, P.M., C.L.,
Grand Lecturer

REPORT OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON LOANS FROM THE FOUNDATION

(Docket No. 17)

The following report of the Special Committee on Loans from the Foundation was received, entered on the record, and adopted:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina:

Your special committee appointed by M.'.W.'.W. Edward Burrier, Grand Master, to explore and study the feasibility of making loans from the foundation for a certain percentage of the costs of erecting or renovating Masonic Temples at a low rate of interest, or of establishing a revolving Building Fund for loans to subordinate lodges, as authorized and directed by the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge at its Annual Communication in 1963, reports as follows:

The proposition before your committee was examined exhaustively from the standpoint of:

1. The availability of funds from other sources for the purposes stated;
2. The position the Grand Lodge would assume as a creditor, and
3. The obligation of the Board of Directors of the Foundation to all the Masons of North Carolina.

Funds from several sources for the purpose of erecting and/or renovating lodge halls and buildings are available in almost any quantity desired by our subordinate lodges and have been available to our lodges for these purposes since the 1930s, with the exception of the war years and the so-called tight-money days of the Eisenhower administration. Principally, local banks, the officers of which have first-hand knowledge of the proposed endeavor; life insurance companies, nearly all of which have complete facilities and mortgage loan departments for investigating, making and servicing loans of this type; building or savings and loan associations, both federally and state chartered, have a portion of their funds set aside and earmarked for loans other than on residential properties; and, finally, private sources, individuals and lodge members, usually are financially able to lend assistance to lodges desiring to build new or improved existing lodge halls.

A report from the Chairman of the Lodge Service Commission informs your committee that no difficulty has been experienced by our subordinate lodges in recent years in securing whatever funds are reasonably needed for construction purposes or for renovation of their properties.

The relationship of creditor/debtor is potentially dangerous. Your committee believes that the Grand Lodge, as a matter of policy, should not permit itself to be jockeyed into the position of having to face up to possible foreclosure proceedings against one or more of its subordinate lodges. The relationship is not tenable, and your committee is of the opinion that the relationship should be avoided.

Finally, the duties and obligations of the members of the Board of Directors of the North Carolina Masonic Foundation are to all the Masons of North Carolina and not to the few who would seek largess in the form of favored treatment at the expense of all others. The purpose and aims of the Foundation are charitable giving; the desire of the members of the Board of Directors of the Foundation is to produce the most revenue possible consistent with sound investment practices. By adopting the policy of accepting mortage loans at reduced rates would, on the very face of it, defeat the purpose, aim and desire toward which responsible men have been devoting their time for years.

Your committee's conclusion is that Grand Lodge assistance in the procuring of monies for lodge hall construction and/or renovation is not necessary or desirable, and recommends the rejection of the recommendation as not in the best interests of the Grand Lodge or of the Freemasons of North Carolina.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES G. JOHNSTON, P.G.M., *Chairman*

REPORT OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON DUAL AND PLURAL MEMBERSHIP

(Docket No. 18)

The following report of the Special Committee on Dual and Plural Membership was received, entered on the record, and referred to the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina:

Your Special Committee, appointed by M.·.W.·.William Edward Burrier, Grand Master, to ascertain the merits and/or demerits of dual and/or plural membership, as authorized and directed by the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge at its 1963 Annual Communication reports as follows:

An examination of the dual and/or plural membership privileges of the forty-nine Grand Lodges in continental United States reveals permissive regulations by States as follows:

Dual Membership		Plural Membership	
In State	Out of State	In State	Out of State
29	39	15	19

It can be seen from the above statistics that a majority of the 49 Grand Lodges permit in State dual membership and by an even greater majority permit dual membership privileges outside of the State over which they have jurisdiction. Only 15 Grand Lodges permit plural membership within their jurisdiction while 19 permit plural membership outside of their borders.

Your Committee cites these statistics not as a suggestion that our Grand Lodge govern itself by the opinions and decisions of others but rather to convey to you the importance attached to dual out-of-State membership privileges, for your Committee, after careful study of the subject, concludes that the privilege is important for our purpose also, particularly in the formation of new lodges within our Grand Jurisdiction and that the advantages to be derived from the privilege of dual membership far outweigh any disadvantages that might be incurred or experienced in record keeping by the secretaries of the subordinate lodges or in the Grand Secretary's office.

An out-of-State dual membership privilege would enable sojourners in our Grand Jurisdiction to participate on a primary basis in the activities of our lodges while retaining for sentimental reasons membership in their mother lodges in other States. North Carolina is fast becoming a "resort" state—a place for men to live out their retirement years. The areas around Asheville, Brevard, Hendersonville, Pinehurst, Wilmington and northward along the coastal plain have many such brethren who would like to take an active part in the affairs of the local lodges while retaining membership in the mother lodge.

Many sojourners also would assist in the formation of new lodges and become charter members thereof, if they had the privilege of doing so while retaining for sentimental or other reasons their original primary membership. It is a matter of record that our Illustrious Brother George Washington retained his membership in the lodge

at Fredericksburg while serving as Master of Alexandria Lodge, now Alexandria-Washington Lodge No. 22.

Your Committee does not recommend the adoption of regulations permitting plural membership but your Committee does feel that dual membership privileges for members of out-of-state lodges to be advantageous and we recommend adoption of permissive legislation to that end.

Respectfully submitted

JAMES G. JOHNSTON, P.G.M., *Chairman*

(Note: This report was referred to the incoming Grand Master. See Report of Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence on Page 169, Docket No. 59, Item No. 9 of these Proceedings.)

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MASONIC CEREMONIES AND MISCELLANEOUS PUBLICATIONS

(Docket No. 19)

The following report of the Committee on Masonic Ceremonies and Miscellaneous Publications was adopted, with that portion of the report which involved finances being referred to the Committee on Finance:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

A prior report of this Committee shows that our activities have been restricted pending the development of an education program by the Committee on Masonic Research and Education. Your Committee on Masonic Ceremonies and Miscellaneous Publications is aware that the development of an education program will require much thought and planning and cannot be accomplished in a short period of time. We visualize that as their work progresses it will probably be necessary to amend many of our Masonic Ceremonies and Publications to fit into new programs that will be brought about by the work of this important committee.

We visualize that as the work of the Committee on Masonic Research and Education progresses that the activities of our committee will be greatly increased. Although our activities during the past year have been curtailed we can expect them to increase rapidly for the next few years. We, therefore, request that the usual sum of $400 be reserved for the use of our committee as it is needed.

Respectfully submitted,

ARMON E. BAGGETT, *Chairman*

(Note: Appropriation approved and budgeted under Item F-5. See Report of Committee on Finance on Page 164, Docket No. 58 of these Proceedings.)

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON UNFINISHED BUSINESS

(Docket No. 20)

The following report of the Committee on Unfinished Business was received and entered on the record:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

Your Committee wishes to report that there remains no unfinished business.

Respectfully submitted,
Committee on Unfinished Business
HARRISON KAUFFMAN, P.M., *Chairman*

REPORT OF THE MASONIC RELIEF ASSOCIATION OF THE UNITED STATES AND CANADA

(Docket No. 21)

The following report relative to the Masonic Relief Association of the United States and Canada was received, entered on the record, and referred to the incoming Grand Master:

To The Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

Last September our Grand Master asked the Officers of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina to submit recommendations for consideration by the Board of General Purposes and the Grand Lodge. I was privileged to attend the annual meeting of the Masonic Relief Association of the United States and Canada held last year in Brooklyn, and from this visit and from other sources I have learned a great deal of the history of this fine association, and I now desire to impart some of this information and a recommendation.

The Masonic Relief Association of the United States and Canada was organized in 1885 and 1886 by a small group of Masons representing 18 Boards of Relief which had been previously established, some for more than 25 years. From what I have been able to gather, it engages primarily in coordinating the activities of the various relief boards scattered throughout the continent, of which there are are a total of 170. Only one of these is located in North Carolina—at Southern Pines—and it has been more or less inactive for several years.

The activities of these boards are many and varied. They were established originally for the main purpose of helping the sojourning and transient member, his widow and orphans, (1) from another jurisdiction, or (2) from the local jurisdiction residing temporarily or permanently elsewhere. The help rendered may be through their own service, or by referral to a proper agency. Such assistance may be financial, medical, or legal: arranging for temporary accommodations, giving travel advice, or simply listening to someone's troubles. The services now include the detection and reporting in "The Bulletin" of unworthy Masons and impostors preying on the fraternity; blood donor programs, employment services, counseling, hospital visitations; and in some cases boards have available hospital beds, Wheel chairs, crutches and other such items which may be used by a needy and worthy brother and his family.

I have been amazed to learn the extent of the work being done by these dedicated Masons, and am somewhat embarrassed in admitting that I had been a Mason for more than 23 years before I realized how much good they were doing, not only for the needy Masons, their widows and orphans, but for Masonry itself.

While I know that the Grand Lodge of North Carolina has two of the finest Masonic institutions in the United States today, if not the finest, I feel that we are falling short of our duty until we make a greater effort to better serve those deserving Masons and their families who need assistance but do not require or cannot avail themselves of the benefits available at the Masonic and Eastern Star Home or the Oxford Orphanage. Masonic Relief is one of Masonry's principal Tenets. I believe there is much to be done in North Carolina before we can say that we are doing all we can to live up to this obligation.

This brings me to my recommendation: That a Grand Lodge Committee be appointed to make a thorough study of the activities of the Masonic Relief Association of the United States and Canada, and of the various boards throughout the continent; that the information so obtained be used to educate the officers and members of our lodges regarding the fine accomplishments of this group; and to encourage the Masons in this jurisdiction to join this effort by organizing Boards of Relief in their own communities, so that we in North Carolina may assume a larger share of the responsibility for the execution of these worthy Masonic services.

This, in my opinion, would serve another useful and valuable purpose. These worthwhile activities would stimulate the interest of more and more members. We would have a better informed membership and those who participate, or even learn of the unselfish service being rendered by Masons day after day throughout the year, would have another good reason to be proud to call themselves Masons.

I would like to make just one other suggestion. We have in North Carolina two outstanding Masons, either one of whom, because of their training and experience—not to mention their superior personal qualities—would be eminently qualified to head up the proposed committee. I refer to Brothers A. D. Leon Gray and Troy G. Robbins.

Respectfully submitted,
WILLIAM A. HOOKS, GRAND MARSHAL

RESOLUTION OF COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

(Docket No. 22)

The following resolution of the Committee on Finance was read and unanimously adopted:

To The Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

"RESOLVED, That the report of the Committee on Finance shall be the order of business at seven-thirty P.M. on Wednesday, April 22, 1964, immediately following the calling of the Grand Lodge from refreshment to labor, and

"RESOLVED further, That all resolutions, motions, and reports asking or carrying appropriations and expenditures shall be placed before the Grand Lodge before twelve o'clock noon, Wednesday, April 22, 1964, and

"RESOLVED further, that all such matters offered after twelve o'clock noon, Wednesday, be carried over to the Annual Communication of 1965."

Respectfully submitted,
ROBERT L. PUGH, P.G.M., *Chairman*
Committee on Finance

REPORT OF THE REPRESENTATIVE TO THE MASONIC SERVICE ASSOCIATION OF THE UNITED STATES

(Docket No. 23)

M∴W∴Robert L. Pugh, P.G.M., Representative to the Masonic Service Association of the United States, presented the following report, which was read and entered on the record. The recommendation that the Grand Lodge continue its membership in the Masonic Service Association of the United States for the ensuing year was adopted *unanimously*, and the matter of finances referred to the Committee on Finance.

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Forty-fifth Annual Meeting of the Masonic Service Association of the United States was held in the Colonial Ballroom of the Muehlebach Hotel, Kansas City, Missouri, at nine-thirty o'clock on the morning of February 19, 1964. The meeting was called to order promptly by Most Worshipful Brother William T. Sturtz, Past Grand Master of Minnesota and Chairman of the Masonic Service Association. After the invocation by the Reverend Dwight H. McAlister, Grand Master of South Carolina, the secretary then called the roll of the member lodges, and a welcome was extended by the Most Worshipful Grand Master of Missouri, Brother Arthur U. Goodman, Jr.

It was noted that Brother John D. Cunningham, who had served the Association so long and faithfully, had resigned effective July, 1963, and that Most Worshipful Brother Conrad Hahn, Editor of Publications, was appointed Deputy Executive Secretary-Treasurer to "assume all the duties and functions of the Secretary-Treasurer in the event of his death or resignation." Among the arrangements made by the Commissioners of the Association, in appreciation of such an outstanding contribution to the labors of the Association, was the preparation in the form of a beautifully hand-lettered scroll of a tribute to Brother John D. Cunningham.

No new members had joined the Association during 1963. The Masonic Service Association is composed of 42 Grand Lodges, the largest membership in its history.

The Association published twelve issues of THE SHORT TALK BULLETIN during 1963, making now a total of 492 in print. These BULLETINS deal with pertinent Masonic topics and furnish the finest type of program material for any lodge who wishes to put on such a program. The Association received many appreciative comments on the messages in the SHORT TALK BULLETINS. It also published quite a number of digests, documents, and other subjects of Masonic information during the year.

Since the release of its first picture in 1956, the many prints of pictures now availalbe have been in almost constant circulation. Almost all of the Association's films require a 16mm. sound projector, and all of them run approximately 30 minutes. A new talking motion picture filmed in November presents the former Executive-Secretary,

John D. Cunningham, giving an engaging address for historians entitled, "The Mason in Your Home." It is now ready for release.

It should also be noted that the reference files and research library of the Association have been augmented through purchases and documents sent by Masonic librarians and scholars from every section of the country. Thus the Association is better equipped to assist the Masonic students, Grand Secretaries, Committee on Education, and others who continually write to them for information.

Members of the headquarters staff have also been glad to serve as consultants to Grand Lodge committees on information, education, or publications when requested to do so.

The Hospital Visitation Program continues to exemplify the great heart of Masonry in a manner easily recognized and greatly appreciated by those who have no other contact with us. The extremely limited finances of the Association still prevent the expansion of this program to include areas that are desperately in need of its service, In North Carolina, for example, there are two full-time hospital visitors, one of whom serves Camp Lejeune and Fort Bragg, and the other serves Oteen. Of especial interest, however, not only to Masons in North Carolina, but to Masons everywhere who are interested in extending the Hospital Visitation Program is a new type of Hospital Visitation Program, which was inaugurated this year in the Veterans Hospital of Salisbury, North Carolina, directed by our Grand Master and requested by the Assistant Administrator of the hospital in Salisbury, Brother M. R. Brownlee, with Brother Harold L. Isenhour, a prominent and very active Mason of Salisbury, serving as the co-ordinator and general director of the initatory plans, together with the able assistance of the very efficient Chief Field Agent of the MSA, Brother William C. Edmunds. This new program is of such importance that we are attaching the story of its activation in its entirety, and as the story was presented to the Masonic Service Association in Kansas City. The inauguration of this program in Salisbury now means that there is only one Veterans Hospital left in North Carolina without a program of Hospital Visitation, and this hospital is in Durham. Certainly, it is to be hoped that the brethren in the Masonic District in which Durham is located might be inspired to initiate such a program.

In North Carolina last year there were 6,106 bedside visits made to Masonic brethren and a total of about 104,000 bedside visits to old patients. Interestingly enough, throughout the United States there were 1,779.007 bedside visits made at a cost of between nine and ten cents per visit. Anyone desiring a deep appreciation of the services that are provided through this program has only to arrange for a visit with one of our hospital visitors. Such a visit will prove most inspiring indeed. This Hospital Visitation Program is financed by voluntary contributions resulting from appeals by the Grand Lodges, and also by direct assessments to the membership, as well as by contributions from Grand Lodge funds.

It is recommended that the Grand Lodge of North Carolina continue its membership in the Masonic Service Association, with a payment of dues which have been in the amount of approximately $1550, and that we furthermore continue our participation in the Hospital

Visitation Program by allocating the sum of $3,000 for this purpose in the budget for the coming year. Both of these items are the same amount as was provided in our budget for the preceding year.

Respectfully submitted,
ROBERT L. PUGH, *Representative*

(Note: Appropriation approved and budgeted under Items C-1 and C-6. See Report of Committee on Finance, Docket No. 58, Page 164, of these Proceedings.)

REPORT OF THE REPRESENTATIVE TO THE M. S. A. ON THE HOSPITAL VISITATION PROGRAM

(Docket No. 24)

M.˙.W.˙.Robert L. Pugh, P.G.M., Representative to the M.S.A., presented the following report, which was read and entered on the record:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

On June 11, 1963, the Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina received a request from Brother M. R. Brownlee, Assistant Administrator of the Veterans Hospital in Salisbury and Information Service Representative, for necessary steps to be taken to provide this hospital with a Masonic Visitation Program. Brother Brownlee stated that he was already familiar with the tremendous good that could be accomplished in Veterans Hospitals through such a program, because he had had association and experience with such programs in his administrative capacity in other hospitals. The Grand Master immediately got in touch with the Masonic Service Association and action was immediately initiated by Brother William C. Edmunds, the efficient Chief Field Agent. In the meantime, the Grand Master had proceeded to contact one of the most active Masons in Salisbury, Brother Harold L. Isenhour, who also had expressed a keen interest in the initiation of such a program and had also indicated a willingness to serve as the Local Representative or contact man, to make the arrangements necessary for the institution of such a Visitation Program.

Then followed a considerable amount of correspondence in which Brother Edmunds indicated the procedure that should be followed in perfecting a local organization.

It was indicated from the very beginning that the program to be instituted would be one that was carried on by local Masons entirely from a standpoint of voluntary service, that one of them would be selected as the Field Agent and another to serve as the Alternate representative, that the Masonic Service Association would provide the direction and guidance and would make possible the training of the Field Agent for his subsequent duties. For the most part, other than these incidentals, there was to be no financial obligation of any significant amount to be absorbed by anybody.

Finally, all of the organizational details had been handled most effectively by Brother Isenhour and Brother Edmunds and a date was set for a meeting, at which time the final organization was to be perfected. This meeting was held on Sunday afternoon at two o'clock December 1, 1963. The Grand Master had asked Most Worshipful Robert L. Pugh, Masonic Service Association Representative in North Carolina, to attend the meeting and to assist in the plans for the

organization. By invitation, Most Worshipful Brother James W. Brewer of Greenville, North Carolina, also attended the meeting. Other persons present were William C. Edmunds, Chief Field Agent of the M.S.A., Brother Harold Isenhour, and six representatives from the Thirty-Seventh Masonic District, in which district the hospital is located. These six representatives came from each of the six lodges in the district. The meeting was held in the Administration Building with Brother Dick Brownlee, the Assistant Administrator, also assisting.

The six representatives organized themselves into a V.A.V.S. (Veterans Advisory Volunteer Service) Committee, each member understanding that he was representing his lodge on the committee and that he could go back into his own lodge and have a committee of assistants appointed to help him in any number.

After Brother Edmunds had explained the program of the M.S.A. and duties that would be required of the Field Agent and the Alternate, agreeing also to send the selected Field Agent to the Veterans Hospital in Augusta for training in this particular type of work, the committee then selected Brother W. G. Morgan of Fulton Lodge No. 99 as the Field Agent, and Brother F. T. Carawan of Andrew Jackson Lodge No. 576, Salisbury, as the Alternate. Brother Harold Isenhour was asked to continue in his capacity as Co-ordinator.

Subsequently Brother Morgan proceeded to the Augusta Hospital where he enjoyed a period of training in the Veterans Hospital there. It should be noted at this point that the hospital in Salisbury deals with patients afflicted with emotional disturbances, and therefore requires a type of technique in visitations totally different from that required in ordinary hospitals.

Since that time, the visiting has been done by the Field Agent, or his Alternate. However, a change of plan is now in process, and this anticipated change bids fair to become extremely effective. Brother Morgan and Mrs. Campbell, the wife of one of the psychiatrists attached to the hospital, are now assigning one ward to each of the six lodges in the district for purposes of visitation. This lodge then becomes responsible for the welfare of this ward, which has been assigned to it. These assignments have already been made, and in a very short while it will be possible to measure the progress that has been made with this type of program. The chairman of the lodge committee will make his contacts with the Field Agents and with Mrs. Campbell and together they will plan the day and the hour when the visits will be made.

It is the consensus that this type of volunteer program in which a lodge assumes full responsibility for the Masons in an assigned area in each hospital will be one of the great challenges issued to these lodges. Thus far it is being received with a tremendous amount of enthusiasm, and it is predicted that it will produce immense benefits.

The Veterans Hospital in Salisbury is a tremendous institution. There are one thousand beds, with approximately one employee per patient. The Assistant Administrator, Brother Brownlee, made this significant comment at the time he asked concerning the possibility of the Visitation Program: he said that they wanted the Masonic lodges to enter into a Visitation Program not with money, not with fruits and candies, not with moving picture shows. The hospital already possessed all of those things in abundance, but what they wanted was a committee of Masons to come in and make an effort to reach their

brother Masons who are patients in that hospital, and form a contact with them on the basis of their common Masonic membership, which would be far superior to that which might be formed by a psychiatrist dealing with these same patients. What a tremendous challenge this is to the Masons of this district. What a golden opportunity it is to permit them to make a contact which might reach the inbeing of that person in a way that no other non-Mason could possibly develop.

This leaves only one Veterans Hospital in North Carolina now without a Visitation Program—the one in Durham, and it is devoutly hoped that we will be able to make plans in the very near future for the formulation of a similar type program with the Masons who are confined in that hospital.

Respectfully submitted,
ROBERT L. PUGH, *Representative*

REPORT OF THE REPRESENTATIVE TO THE GEORGE WASHINGTON MASONIC NATIONAL MEMORIAL ASSOCIATION

(Docket No. 25)

M.'.W.'.Robert L. Pugh, P.G.M., Representative to the George Washington Masonic National Memorial Association, presented the following report, which was read, entered on the record and referred to the Committee on Finance:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Fifty-fourth Annual Convention of the George Washington Masonic National Memorial Association was called to order in the Colonial Ballroom of the Hotel Muehlebach, Kansas City, Missouri, February 22, 1964, with the President, Most Worshipful Brother John H. Hessey, Past Grand Master of Maryland, presiding. After the welcome by the Grand Master of Missouri and a response by the Grand Master of Maryland, the distinguished guests who had come from almost all over the free world were recognized.

President Hessey made his report on the excellent condition of the Memorial and on the progress that had been made to increase the Endowment Fund by encouraging the adoption by the various member states of what has become known as the "Pennsylvania Plan." During the course of his remarks, he referred to the campaign that is in progress now in North Carolina to meet its goal and poured praise upon the efforts that are being expended to complete the project. He made recognition of the retirement of Brother Frederick F. Schondau, who had served many years as Secretary-Treasurer Emeritus of the Association, and was presented with a beautiful plaque with a citation of his marvelous record of service.

It was announced also that Most Worshipful Brother Marvin E. Fowler, Past Grand Master of the District of Columbia, and Provincial Grand Master of the Royal Order of Scotland, was elected Secretary-Treasurer to succeed Brother Schondau.

The Association was informed also that the fourth floor of the Memorial, which is now empty, will hereafter be designated as The George Washington Museum to represent both the Scottish Rite and the York Rite, the room itself to be a gift from the York Rite and also from the Northern and Southern Jurisdictions of the Scottish Rite.

In April 1961 while the Grand Lodge of North Carolina was holding its Annual Communication in New Bern, it unanimously approved the adoption of the Pennsylvania Plan under which each of the lodges in North Carolina agreed to contribute the sum of one dollar for each of its members. At the conclusion of this campaign, the Grand Lodge itself would contribute ten dollars for each lodge in North Carolina. The period of four years was designated as the length of time in which it was hoped the campaign would be completed. We are now approaching our third Annual Communication since that time, and again will bring our reports up-to-date and will continue to present Certificates of Merit to those lodges who have made their contribution amounting to 100% during the year. Our Grand Master this year, Most Worshipful W. Edward Burrier, has labored extensively in support of this program and wherever he has held his District Meetings, he has given a period of time in which the plan was emphasized. Lodges made their reports at each of these meetings on the amount that they have contributed. Wherever there was need for encouragement, or a word of inducement, the Grand Master was quick to come forth with whatever was necessary.

Contributions at the present time total $31,317.22. This amount represents gifts from 236 lodges. We now have one year left in which to complete the plan. The ensuing year, therefore, must produce extensive effort if the plan is to be completed during the allotted four-year period. We are fortunate indeed in that the incoming Grand Master has already pledged himself to utilize his tremendous energies to the end that this program shall be brought to a successful conclusion. Needless to say, North Carolina looks forward to that day, and it is sincerely hoped that when our Grand Master visits the next annual meeting of the George Washington Masonic National Memorial Association, which this year will be held once again in the beautiful Memorial at Alexandria, the Grand Lodge of the Tarheel State will be able to come forward with a check in the approximate amount of 65 to 70 thousand dollars, representing the successful conclusion of this program.

Our Grand Master has done a marvelous job in supporting this program during the current year, and we look forward to the next year under the leadership of a new Grand Master during whose administration we sincerely feel this marvelous project will be completed in North Carolina.

Thus far we have presented approximately 90 or more lodges with Certificates of Merit. This year, as heretofore, a Certificate of Merit will be presented to the lodges that have reached their goal of 100% participation since that time. The following lodges have achieved that goal, and on Wednesday morning the Master of the lodge, or his representative, will come forward as the name of his lodge is called and the Grand Master will be happy indeed to present his Certificate of Merit, recognizing such outstanding achievement: (See Proceedings)

Respectfully submitted,
ROBERT L. PUGH, *Representative*

(Note: See Docket No. 54-A on Pages 158, 159 for the listing of the lodges that have participated 100% during the Masonic year 1963-64 in our George Washington Memorial Fund.)

REPORT OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE TO STUDY THE GRAND MASTER'S RECOMMENDATION REGARDING FIFTY-YEAR MEMBERS

(Docket No. 26)

The Report of the Special Committee to study the Grand Master's Recommendation regarding Fifty-year Members was presented and unanimously adopted:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

Immediately following the Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina in Asheville in April, 1963, a Special Committee was appointed to make a study of Most Worshipful Grand Master Ricker's recommendation found on page 13 of his report and listed as recommendation number 10. From this, we quote: "I recommend that fifty-year members be exempt from the payment of dues to their lodge, and that Regulation 85-35 be amended to make possible the exemption of such payment." He also recommended the amendment of Regulation 50-01 to deal with the same recommendation.

The members of the committee, whose names are attached to this report, have given consideration to the recommendation and respectfully submit the following as an expression of the unanimous opinion of this committee:

1. 'Such provision as that included in the Grand Master's recommendation is rightfully an obligation of the local lodge, and if remission of dues is to be granted, or payment of the per capita tax absorbed by anyone, it should be done by the local lodge.
2. The committee expresses itself as being unanimously of the opinion that this is a program the Grand Lodge should not embark upon at this time.

The committee therefore recommends unanimously that the recommendation regarding fifty-year members be not approved.

ROBERT L. PUGH, P.G.M., *Chairman*

RESOLUTION TO REVISE AND AMEND THE CODE

(Docket No. 27)

The following resolution relative to revising and amending The Code was read by M.'.W.'.Brother Charles A. Harris, P.G.M., Grand Secretary and referred to the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Code Commission be and it is hereby instructed and authorized, under the provisions of Section 11-02 and Regulation 111-01 of THE CODE, as follows:

1. To examine THE CODE of 1948, as revised and amended in 1957, both the Constitution and the Regulations, and to prepare such amendments and/or general revisions as the Commission deems necessary or proper to bring the Constitution and/or the Regulations up-to-date with any amendments thereto, or decisions or enactments thereunder made since THE CODE was adopted on April 22, 1948, and revised and amended on April 17, 1957;

2. To revise, clarify and reconcile any part thereof that may be necessary; and

3. To present its recommendations under this order, for action by the Grand Lodge as provided in Section 11-02 and Regulation 111-01, at its Annual Communication in 1965.

(NOTE: This resolution adopted. See Report of Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence on Page 168, Docket No. 59, Item No. 5 of these Proceedings. Reserve appropriation approved and budgeted under Item F-8. See Report of Committee on Finance, Docket No. 58, on Page 165, of these Proceedings.)

ADDRESS OF THE GRAND ORATOR

(Docket No. 28)

The Grand Master recognized and presented W.'.Brother W. Kenneth Goodson, Grand Orator of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina, who delivered the following oration:

Most Worshipful Grand Master and Brethren:

I speak to you this afternoon with a deeper feeling of insecurity than you can possibly imagine. I realize my inadequacy in performing the task that has been assigned to me by my Brother, the Most Worshipful Grand Master. He knows and I know, and you soon will know, that I do not come to you in excellency of speech nor with the wisdom of a long-time tried performer in the excellent acts and works of our Craft. Many of you are far more proficient than I in the secrets of Masonry. I stand humbly before you as one who has been asked to deliver the Grand Oration, and I do it in deep appreciation for the honor that has been conferred upon me in making me the Grand Orator for the Grand Lodge of Masons of North Carolina. I come not to you as a Master to direct your attention to great drawings upon my trestle board, nor even as a Fellow-craft to present a specimen of skill. I do come, however, as a Free man who has sat among his brethren, repeated the password, and been admitted into the Lodge. I have vouched for my brethren and I have had them vouch for me. I have been given and received a token, my heart has been opened to receive a secret word, but closed again to seal it for time and eternity except to "him or them to whom it may rightfully be given." I am a Mason, a Free Mason, so accepted among my brothers. I ask for no other qualifications as I stand before this assembly of Master Masons this afternoon.

I would have to begin with a personal word of deep appreciation to our Most Worshipful Grand Master who has honored me by this appointment. So conspicuous has been his service and devotion to the Grand Lodge of our State that it shall long be one of the happy memories of my life that I was allowed by his gracious appointment the privilege of being a part of his team. This honor I have had once before and what I shall say to you this day shall be somewhat in the same vein as a previous oration that I delivered at the Grand Lodge more than ten years ago.

I have read and reread with interest every available oration delivered at this Grand Lodge since my birth. I realize that I stand here this very afternoon in a long and esteemed lineage. Because of this I am filled with a deep sense of humility and the complete realization

of my inability to follow where they have trod, but having said that, "I plunge."

I am not proficient enough to instruct you in the practices or the theories of Masonry or in the complete workings of our Fraternity. Here beside me and yonder in front of me sit men proficient beyond all my capacities in the workings of our craft. From some of them I received my instruction. I would not presume now to take the role of teacher. From many of them I have received inspiration and fellowship. To all of them I am grateful. I still sit in humility at their feet, "seeking more light in Masonry." Though I could not speak to you as an expert on operative or speculative Masonry, I could speak as one who has felt in his heart the tug of the fraternity; who has been, on more than one occasion, inspired almost beyond the ability of expression as the secrets and wonders of our craft have been unfolded before me. I could and do claim my right to speak to you as one who has felt and seen back of the symbolism of our craft the great meanings and principles for which our order stands. I can and do speak with humility to you concerning our craft as a plain, free man, a Master Mason, who has stood and does now stand under the protection of the Supreme Architect of the Universe in whose name and under whose spirit all freemasonry must live if it is to prosper and endure.

I speak primarily of the great spiritual values of our Order. A friend once said to me, "What do you have to learn to be a Mason?" I ask you, "Is that all there is to it; something you have to learn?" Can a man with a poor ability to learn and to memorize be kept from our Chambers and a man with a keen ability to memorize and poor ability to discern be allowed to fellowship among us? My brethren, our order consists far more than of the catechism and its component parts. The pity of Masonry is still that a man can feel that he is a Mason because he can recite, with a minimum of coaching, the words of Masonry. A very great Man, many centuries ago, reminded us that "the letter killeth but the spirit giveth light." It is my purpose to carry you down a spiritual highway as we "seek more light."

May I ask you some questions, four in all? I do not presume for one moment, as you will presently see, that they are original with me. They are as old as time and as honored as our order and are more honorable than the ancient golden fleece to the heart of each of us. I ask you first:

Who are You? Hundreds of years ago, prior to the Christian Era, a Psalmist lifted his voice out of despair toward the East and, addressing the Great Architect of the Universe, cried out, "What is Man, O Lord that thou art mindful of him?" What is man? Who are you? Science tells us that we are material formed by the composition of many elements, including sulphur, phosphorus, water, manganese and other elements, but is that all you are, the composition of many elements? It was the Psalmist who reminded us that we were created only a little lower than the angels and were given destiny and purpose and meaning to life. Many years ago, a great preacher was addressing a national convention in the City of Los Angeles when the audience became distracted by a "comrade" who wandered to and fro in the aisle. It soon became apparent that he was under delusion and finally it was discovered by all there that he was a victim of that dreaded disease of the First World War. He was shell-shocked! How that word

brought horror into our hearts a generation ago. This brother became attracted by the voice of the speaker and with profound slowness made his way toward the speakers rostrum where the mighty speaker was addressing the convention. A hush came over the audience; the "buddy" walked over toward the preacher, looked him over with caution and care, and then finally pulled at his coat. The great preacher stopped for a moment, put his brawny arm about the man and said, "my friend, ten thousand of your buddies would like to help you and do now offer their services. Is there anything we can do for you?" "Yes, sir," he timidly replied, "Can any of you tell me *Who* I am?" Somewhere, some day we must get that matter straightened out. Until a man completely knows who he is and what he is, he is not ready to mingle in the fellowship of the Lodge. We must know that we were created with a dignity, a little lower than the angels, and thus it was intended for us to act as if we were part of the Creation of God. It must be remembered that we were made for God's enjoyment and for the edification of other's souls, that we are free men, unbound by shackles of tyranny, but just as important, meant to be unbound by the shackles of ugliness and dissipation. You're a free man, free-born, properly vouched for by the Great Redeemer of men. You've been admitted into the secrets of an old and time-honored fraternity whose strength must lie in something greater than the fact that we know certain facts that those without our craft do not. You're a Mason, under bond; you're a Mason under pledge; you're a Mason with your trust in—well, we'll get to that in a minute. You're a real man! Now live like one. No man has the right to bring disrepute upon his Lodge by the manner of man that he is, while he wears in his lapel the emblem of our fraternity, or carries within his purse a card to admit him into our Order. In this day when some reaction to our Lodge has been more than caustic, its only defense is for a Masonry that stands high in human conduct. Let that part of the human family without our gates, who have not yet been in search of our secrets, look upon us collectively and individually as men who are men, moral and dedicated. Let our light so shine that other men may see and be drawn toward us.

Then, may I ask, *Whence Came Ye?* I came out of the past, a great past. I came out of time and eternity. I am a free man; I came out of history; I came out of the bosom of God. May I tell you how I was made? I quote from James Weldon Johnson's poem entitled *Creation*:

Then God sat down
On the side of a hill where he could think;
By a deep, wide river He sat down;
With His head in His hands,
God thought and thought,
Till He thought, "I'll make me a man!"
Up from the bed of the river
God scooped the clay;
And by the bank of the river
He kneeled Him down;
And there the great God Almighty,
Who lit the sun and fixed it in the sky,
Who flung the stars to the most far corner of the night,

Who rounded the earth in the middle of His hand—
This Great God,
Like a mammy bending over her baby,
Kneeled down in the dust
Toiling over a lump of clay
Till he shaped it in His own image;
Then into it He blew the breath of life,
And man became a living soul.

We are part and parcel of all that is gone before, though the past is only prologue. I came from a family of Masons. My father, now gone to his reward, spent more than thirty years as an officer of the Lodge in our home town. My brother has sat in the East in that Lodge. Many of you come from a long line of distinguished Masons, thus, we all stand this very afternoon where generations of great men have stood before us. Our Grand Master stands in noble lineage and he shall contribute to that nobility. So does every Master Mason here among us. I have read the proceedings of our Grand Lodge for many moons now past. The names of many whose records can be found among our sacred archives are now in the Supreme Lodge above. We tread, my brethren, where the saints have trod. The beginning of freemasonry in North Carolina dates back more than two hundred years, for we find some evidence in North Carolina immediately after the colony of Carolina was divided into North and South in the year 1729. It is stated by Marshall D. Haywood in his history written in 1906, that "the Craft was actively at work in N. C. prior to 1735, for in that year enough Masons had settled in the Cape Fear Settlement, near the present city of Wilmington, to form a lodge. We came out of the past of men who were interested in the beginning of life and in its ending. I can see an old battered wagon bearing the little anemic bodies of three Granville County children as it rode up to an old frame building in Oxford; well, let's listen to an eye witness account of it: "It was a Saturday afternoon. A dull cloud hung in the sky. A man with a one horse wagon drove to the door. He told his mission. He lifted the pale youths from the wagon with the paw of a lion and, with melting pity and tears, kissed them and committed them to the Care of Masons in North Carolina." Thence, now caring for the beginning of life, we next look to the ending of it and on January 12, 1904, under the direction of Brothers Clymer, Monroe and Winchester, and with the assistance of many of the brethren, founded the Masonic and the Eastern Star Home where the weary pilgrims returning from the East and the West and the North and the South may pause and refresh themselves before continuing their journey to the gates of the Supreme Lodge where the Great Architect of the Universe shall receive them. We came out of a noble past! A past to which we now may contribute with fidelity and perseverance in order that our children and our children's children may reap a more glorious future. We came to be sure, from a significant yesterday, but we shall pay rightful homage to it only as we build for a significant tomorrow. If you came from no place, and are going back to the same, you cannot walk in the majestic army of good and fine Master Masons.

What Came Ye Here to Do? I came to see my brethren of many places. I came to feel the clasp of their hands and the warmth of their hearts, for I am a gregarious creature and I must be with others of like mind and feel their spirits. I must sit in the Lodge with them; I

must commune with my brothers. I must feel the warmth of a strong grip and the strength of a friend to me and mine. I travel this world only once. I care not to be that poverty stricken as to be without friends. I came to share with my brethren of many valleys and many hills the warmth of the craft. I came for fellowship. The greater the work and the more harmonious the craft as the closer in bonds of fellowship and love they come. I came, sir, from near at hand to feel the warmth of my brothers in Masonry.

I came here, sir, seeking more light. God forbid that any real Mason should ever be content with that which, at any given time, he then knows. I know little, but my heart is warmed; I came seeking more light. Our Order has been handed down from mouth to ear and mouth to ear for many, many centuries. It could not have been so done had not men, many men, been proficient in the work of our craft. Let it behoove us all to seek more light to become the more proficient; and the more proficient we become, the more excellent we will be in the administration of the craft to all ages yet to come.

I came also to renew my vows in the Congregation of the Lodge and among the brethren. I am a human being with instincts that are human. I need the hour of revival. Once we stood and assumed the obligations of the craft. Come now and let us resume the obligations of the craft that our stewardship may ever be acceptable to Him unto whom all things are offered.

These are some of the reasons, sir, for which I came; maybe not all of acceptable excellence within themselves, but they are some of the reasons. I am continually under the conviction that no man was created without a purpose, and that for every man there is a plan and a purpose and a destiny. I seek that plan. I seek that purpose. I seek to arrive at that destiny. If I came here to do nothing, it would have been better had I stayed at home.

But, sir, Most Worshipful Grand Master, though the hour be waxing late and the time draws near that you seek to direct the craft from labor to refreshment, suffer me a parting word. Hast thou, you ask, another word? *I have!* It concerns the heart of our fraternity; it is the cement of our craft binding us together with all mankind and Him who is the Architect of the Universe. Will you sit quietly for a brief period as I ask you the greatest question addressed to any of us? Do you remember when, as a candidate for the secrets of our Order, you awaited in a room adjacent to the Lodge hall; where you were duly and truly prepared by your brethren. Finally the door opened and you were led for the first time in your life into a Masonic Lodge Meeting? Do you remember the first question ever addressed to you as you stood there? I ask it now to you again. *In whom do you put your trust?* Masonry without God is unthinkable. We might as well try to imagine the day without the sun, the sea without the waves, or the evening sky without the stars. I can see nothing to life without God in it. Perhaps more in our day than in any other generation we have known, the prophets of doom announce to us that the end of time seems to be drawing near, and because of our own ruthless inventions instead of because of God's ruling. There are many facts in their favor. How long can man blow up the universe until there be none left? Is it true, really, that our final security must rest in missiles and space or is there a chance for a brighter tomorrow beyond our

scientific achievements? Is there a chance for a world of peace and brotherhood? What chance is there? There must be some. *In Whom do you put your trust?* Some while ago I was privileged to be on the beaches at Cape Kennedy and watch the launching of the largest missile ever sent into orbit. I rejoiced in its success. I was stunned by its magnitude and its impressiveness, but not for a single moment did I believe that it carried within it salvation of the human family. In this time of uncertainty, when things are changing so rapidly, we should ask ourselves whether our ancient Order has anything to say to these times. It is a troubled world in which we are living. It is a desperately sick world. But it is our world. Have you anything to say, as you glance up from your trestleboards of history to this world? We have one word to whisper with a conviction into the ears of any man who will listen. It is the word *God.* Let him know once and for all that our trust is in God. Stand on your feet and say it over and over again, with your eyes looking toward the dawning at the East. I believe in God The Father Almighty; Maker of heaven and earth. Having said this, then proceed on your way and fear not, for your trust is well-founded. You have placed it in right and good and capable hands.

When I was raised to the sublime degree of Master Mason, a well-meaning friend remarked that it was regrettable that I had taken my degrees in Masonry after my Father had gone a decade or so before me. My father sat in the South for many years in his lodge. I was told that I would never have the thrill of sitting in a lodge with my Father. Is that so? I wonder? I have sat through the degrees of Masonry until now I wear proudly the ring of a Double Eagle. I have tried to learn its catechisms and absorb its teachings. I have felt the thrill of its great pronouncements. I have felt the emotion of its mighty obligations. I have lengthened my cable-tow and have unloosed my hoodwink and my eyes have looked upon the faces of my brethren and I have beheld the majesty of the Great Lodge. I think I understand some of the lessons that the Order of Masonry teaches. I truly affirm that someday, not long to be arriving, I shall sit in the Grand Lodge where the Supreme Architect of the Universe shall preside and feel the warmth of my father's strong grip and take up with him the trowel and the square and the level and the plumb-line and work at his side in the presence of the Supreme Architect of the Universe forever and ever. This I know, for my trust is well founded. Thus, I bring to you the Annual Oration of the Grand Lodge of Masons for the State of North Carolina. If we are an exclusive Order, separated from life and have nothing to do with the grime of daily experience, then I have missed the tenets that Masonry has taught. But if it means that I shall stand amidst my fellows as a free man, understanding and appreciating my freedom, and from that understanding and appreciation work for the freedom of all mankind, then I shall do it as one who understands the tenets of Masonry. It is not a Lodge to join and to be restricted to its own concern. To me Masonry is a launching pad upon which I have reaffirmed my faith in the true and living God, the Supreme Architect of the Universe from whence I came and unto Whom I return. I give him the due password and sign of an honorable man and I seek to sit in His majestic company. May He give me the privilege and may He extend it to all His children. This is my prayer so mote it be.



WILLIAM EDWARD BURRIER
Grand Master Presiding

REPORT OF THE GRAND MASTER

(Docket No. 29)

M.'.W.'.Brother W. Edward Burrier, Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, delivered the following report, which was referred to the Board of General Purposes.

(SEE Page 128, at Docket No. 30, of these Proceedings for the distribution of the report.) :

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

BRETHREN:

To you My Beloved Brethren from Murphy to Manteo and from the borders of Virginia to the borders of South Carolina I join with several thousands of your brethren resident in Mecklenburg and adjoining counties in welcoming you to the Queen City and the Piedmont for what I know will be a glorious 177th Annual Communication, thanks to the sedulous efforts these good brethren of yours have placed in operation.

To those of you, our Beloved Brethren, from beyond the borders of North Carolina, my sixty-five thousand Brethren join with me in extending to you a hearty Tarheel welcome, and when you leave may the Tar on the Heels of your feet prove to be as sticky as that which attached to mine in 1938 which kept me here, permitted me to become accepted by my brethren of this valley of humility and has made me so eager to go forth to sing the praises of this magnificent Land of the Longleaf Pine.

Again a warm welcome to every one of you. Enjoy yourself in Charlotte, in Mecklenburg, and in North Carolina. Ours is the honor and privilege that you have conferred by coming to fraternize with us.

Perhaps at the conclusion of this Annual Communication some forty-eight hours or thereabouts hence all of you from beyond the North Carolina borders will join with us in unison in a mighty Rebel Yell.

At a time such as this it has always seemed appropriate by my predecessors to recall what they had to say at the time of their installation, hence, I certainly do not want to be the exception to that rule and will accordingly recall to you that one year ago in Asheville I suggested that I fully realized in my assuming the exalted position of Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina that I did realize then and

hoped I would still realize one year hence that lightning had not struck, that there had been no Messianic Advent, that resurrection day was not immediately before us and that there probably were several thousand Masons much more competent than I who could accomplish a far better year of action. At this time I can honestly say that not one of the foregoing statements need to be changed. I do not think we have retrograded but if there is any increase in enthusiasm and in our prosperity it is only because of the groundwork laid by all of my predecessors and the continuing availability and dedication on the part of our Past Grand Masters, the Grand Lodge Officers, the Grand Lodge personnel and so many, many devoted members of the Craft.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

If there has been any emphasis during the past year on any particular subject it could probably be described as an effort to increase zeal and dedication among the brethren. This program was originated by our distinguished Brother, Most Worshipful JAMES W. BREWER who called my immediate predecessor, my successor and the writer together on several occasions before Brother Brewer assumed office, at which time his proposed basic program was adopted by us, faithfully carried out by Brother Brewer, so faithfully followed by Most Worshipful Brother Charles Carpenter Ricker and I have done as much as I could with such meager talents as I have to continue this program. Not only on behalf of the Craft do I want to express our thanks to Most Worshipful Brother Brewer but I shall always be personally indebted to him for his always willingness to listen to my problems and without fail to come up with a most sensible answer. Big problems have become minuscule when analyzed in the agile mind of our distinguished brother.

To Most Worshipful Brother CHARLES CARPENTER RICKER, my immediate predecessor, I shall always be grateful. For what errors I have made, I can assure you were not caused by any failure on the part of Brother Ricker to endeavor to educate me. During his year he kept the writer fully informed at all times of all proceedings and during this year has been always available for the help which he has rendered so freely whenever I have called upon him. I shall always be in his debt.

To Most Worshipful Brother CHARLES A. HARRIS, a grand Grand Secretary. Although I have had the privilege

of paying him tribute throughout the state on our visitations and beyond our borders when out of state, nevertheless I will never be able to fully express the feeling in my heart for this great Mason. I have been privileged to know many men who have loved their fellow man but in no man have I seen that great law of the Master to "love thy neighbor as thyself" carried out so fully as is exemplified in the everyday words, deeds and actions of my beloved personal friend, Charles Anderson Harris.

To Most Worshipful Brother JAMES GUY JOHNSTON I shall always be grateful that he gave me the opportunity of serving as Grand Master and while due to reasons of his health has not been too readily available through the years, on the other hand it is so pleasing to report that his health has returned, that he sometime ago resumed fuller activities in the Craft and we count it a privilege to have the benefit of his talents.

To Most Worshipful Brother ROBERT LEE PUGH that epitome of oratorical and rhetorical magnificence, I shall always be grateful for his unintermitted availability to counsel and on so many occasions to put into words the thoughts that I wanted to express. So often have I said to this distinguished and beloved brother "I wish I could have said it that way." Brother Pugh does not need my words to enhance his reputation which is transcendent but by these few remarks he will know that I shall never be able to repay him to the extent of my feeling I have satisfied my indebtedness.

It might be difficult to persuade a great many of my Brethren that this Grand Master has occasionally been without words, however, I must confess to a totally inadequate vocabulary when I attempt to acknowledge the debt of gratitude not only this great Grand Lodge may owe but more particularly that this Grand Master owes to that illustrious Brother, sage Solon, and wise Preceptor, our beloved Most Worshipful WILLIAM J. BUNDY, "the good judge". What a rich privilege has been ours to have had the benefit of the guidance, the wise philosophy, and the long years of experience of this great Mason whose love for his brethren is only exceeded by the service he renders unto them.

Worshipful Brother ROBERT N. BASS, our very capable Junior Grand Deacon has been many, many more things besides Junior Grand Deacon. Bob has been available the

whole 365 days of the year plus several weeks before the Annual Communication of 1963. The Craft in general and this Grand Master in particular look forward with so much pleasure to the day when in the normal course of events Brother Bass will become the Most Worshipful Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina and when that day arrives, it will be a rewarding one, my brethren, for our Craft. For great are the talents of this man, so great his strength to carry out his creative ideas and so expansive his desire to be of service to his fellow man.

From East to West and from North to South within North Carolina I have suggested to the brethren that I wish I could take some of the credit for the employing of Worshipful Brother ROBERT P. DUDLEY, as Assistant to the Grand Secretary. I was denied this privilege since it occurred before my time. I do envy those of my predecessors who selected him since I am so proud and so grateful for the magnificent job he has done that I regret I cannot claim some credit for his selection. I can only say what I have told so many, that were we to have fed into the finest computer in the world the exact specifications of what the Grand Lodge of North Carolina would like to have in an Assistant to the Grand Secretary and had that computer worked in absolute perfect fashion the answer would have been just whom my predecessors selected, Worshipful Brother Robert P. Dudley. Always ready, ever willing, he is a devoted Masonic servant.

During the past year we have covered all the Districts ably assisted at all times by Worshipful Brother Rev. A. D. LEON GRAY, Superintendent of the Orphanage and Worshipful Brother Rev. TROY ROBBINS, Superintendent of our Masonic and Eastern Star Home. While some may say that familiarity breeds contempt, I can assure you that the continued association with these two Brethren increases my love and respect for them. I say here what I have said so many times, that in recalling the admonition of the beehive in the Master Mason monitorial lecture, we can thank a Kind Heavenly Father that we have two such dedicated and devoted "men of the Cloth" to serve as our working tools in carrying out our obligations of charity and to our fellow man.

Our illustrious brother, Most Worshipful Brother HARVEY SMITH who served so diligently as Grand Master in 1960-61 has continued with his never-ceasing efforts to benefit his brethren and the Craft. An example of this magna-

nimity of Brother Smith is exemplified by the presentation to the Grand Lodge of North Carolina of a great and valuable work of art by Vasari painted sometime prior to the year 1574 known as "Building King Solomon's Temple." This painting was purchased in London more than thirty years ago by the father of our honored brother and now due to the generosity of Most Worshipful Brother Harvey Smith is suspended most attractively in the Board Room of our Grand Lodge Administrative Building. When you have the opportunity, please go by to delight in this beautiful work of art and then be sure to express to Brother Smith your appreciation as an individual Mason for his continued beneficence to the Craft. (SEE Page 205 of these Proceedings for facsimile of painting.)

My brethren, the Craft is stronger today and my own life is richer because of the group of men I have spoken of in the preceding paragraphs. There are so many, many more whose names we would list here but for the fact the covers of this report cannot be stretched further apart, and your Grand Master is indebted to each of you.

FRATERNAL DEAD

My brethren, during the past year 1,142 of our brethren took that one little step before us and while we lament the loss of their presence we do rejoice that they have received the True Word and have attained that destiny to which every Master Mason aspires, that Celestial Lodge above. I think it was Ben Franklin who suggested that very probably "death is not a Sleep rather it is an Awakening."

Every Master Mason is a distinguished Master Mason but to a few come the preferment of being accorded the title of Worshipful, to even fewer the title of Right Worshipful and to a very, very few, the title of Most Worshipful. One of that group departed our midst during the past year. Most Worshipful Brother John Catlett Vance, Grand Master during 1956-57 was born November 8, 1883 and took that step to be raised on December 18, 1963. Brother Vance was loved by all who knew him and all Masons, during the year of his Grand Master's duties, did know this great and friendly brother. It was the request of Most Worshipful Brother Vance that when his hour did arrive our Grand Secretary, the Most Worshipful Brother Charles A. Harris conduct full Masonic ceremonies. This request was carried out with all

of its beauty and its dignity by our great ritualistic Brother Harris on December 20, 1963.

The relentless Scythe of Time has also cut that brittle thread of life for another of our brethren, Right Worshipful Brother Wilbur LeRoy McIver, who died on April 22, 1963, as the result of an automobile accident. Brother McIver was Grand Secretary from 1946 through 1958, and his personal service and dedication symbolized the highest principles of Freemasonry.

It seems but such a little way to us
Across to that great country,
The Beyond;
For it has come to be the home
Of so many of whom I am so fond.
And so for me there is no Death;
It is but crossing with 'bated breath,
A narrow strip of sea,
To find one's loved ones waiting
on the shore,
More beautiful, more perfect
than e're before.

EMERGENT COMMUNICATIONS

It has been our pleasure in this year of Masonic zeal and activity to have held nine emergent communications each of which is worthy in its own right to be recorded here but will for the obvious reasons of brevity be confined to that portion of the Grand Lodge Proceedings where they more properly belong. At this point I would like to congratulate those responsible for the meetings and to say I enjoyed so much being at each one.

DISPENSATIONS

I have granted several dispensations during the year for lodges to hold meetings for special events in places other than in their regular lodge halls, to elect officers to fill vacancies caused by resignation or death and to erect one-story lodge buildings.

ONE-STORY LODGE BUILDINGS

Although this Grand Master offers no personal opinions relative to the merits and/or demerits of a one-story lodge building, it has been my experience over the year to find that such a type building is being highly favored due not only to the lower cost of construction but probably what is more important, the fact that since very few lodges can afford an expensive elevator, the one-floor plan does provide our sen-

ior citizens as well as our handicapped younger brethren the opportunity of conveniently attending lodge. I offer this not as an argument in favor of nor an argument against but rather merely give you what has been told to me.

It has been my pleasure to issue dispensations to the following lodges: St. John's Lodge No. 4, Morning Star Lodge No. 85, Central Cross Lodge No. 187, Mount Olive Lodge No. 208, Greenville Lodge No. 284, Fort Bragg Lodge No. 667, Crown Point Lodge No. 708, Troy Lodge No. 718, Winton Lodge No. 723 and Bush Hill Lodge U.D. to erect a one-story building provided it is properly tyled and made safe from cowans and eavesdroppers. Of course, each of these dispensations was further based on the fact that the dispensation included no authority to build since all financing arrangements, et cetera, had first to be approved by the Lodge Service Commission before any contracts could be let and construction begun. A similar dispensation was given to Red Springs Lodge No. 501; however, due to a local situation construction has not as yet begun. I do not know at this writing whether this item has been approved as yet by the Lodge Service Commission.

The matter of new lodge construction, my brethren, is a most important one. Masonry, to be held in the high esteem with which we want it to be regarded in each community must present good housekeeping. We cannot expect our outstanding citizens to have the desired deference for Masonry when coming out of a well-kept home, being in attendance at an immaculate church, eating in spotless restaurants he must then in order to fraternize with his Masonic brethren be taken into some of the lodge rooms you and I have seen. This is a most important aspect of our dignity in the community, Brethren, and while we are told in Masonry that it is the internals and not the externals that should be applied, it is but natural that our present day brother would like to be proud of his Masonic lodge and its temple rather than to offer excuses. There are a great many diversionary hindrances to "coming to lodge". Good housekeeping is such a simple thing and so readily achievable it behooves us to well work for that cleanliness, and that beauty of the temple which we so describe in our lectures when we speak of the great temple of our first Most Excellent Grand Master. Please, let us look well to that temple wherein we carry on this great teaching to "love thy neighbor as thyself."

INSTITUTIONS

My enthusiasm makes me want to orate and elaborate on the praiseworthy achievement of the institution of our four new lodges: Twin County Lodge U. D. at Rocky Mount, John Huske Anderson Lodge U. D. at Fayetteville, Stedman Lodge U. D. at Stedman, and Bush Hill Lodge U. D. at Archdale, however, since this report must be confined within the pages of the Proceedings, some degree of brevity demands that I leave the description of these meetings to elsewhere in the Proceedings. I could not leave this subject, however, without expressing my gratitude to the prime movers in this movement to bring More Masonry to More people More conveniently. Each one of these lodges is showing exceptional growth and I hope will have presented itself at this Annual Communication in such condition that a charter in each case will be granted. My thanks to each of you in those lodges for your hospitality to us at the time of our visit.

CONSTITUTION

One of my first official tasks was the Constitution of Meridian Lodge No. 728, which was the fulfillment of a dream I had been attempting to transpose into reality over a period of ten years.

During 1962 a group of ardent Masons combined to form the first daylight lodge in North Carolina, such lodge being instituted by my predecessor as Meridian Lodge to meet on the first and third Thursdays of each month at high twelve—and being, of course, aptly cognominated Meridian. This lodge has experienced a miraculous growth proving a most successful endeavor, not only for the night worker for whom it was originally intended, but even more so for the busy professional man and white-collar worker who can be present during the day but finds it impossible to return to town in the evening. This also is proving a boon to our senior citizens who find it almost an adventure to go out in the evening hours, whereas, a noon meeting can be readily reached by bus and our Masonic ceremonies and forms enjoyed by them during those hours of the day when they have so little to do. In the larger towns of North Carolina emulation of Meridian Lodge could well be considered when the matters of nonattendance, diversion of interest, etc., arise. This is not a substitute for an evening meeting but rather represents to the Brethren of Meridian Lodge a modern concept of arranging one's schedule. This lodge was constituted on

April 19, 1963 and today has seventy-eight members. Enthusiasm is rampant and a great brotherhood prevails among a group of men who might "otherwise have remained at a perpetual distance."

LODGES CONSOLIDATED

During the year due to a change in economic conditions, traveling conditions, et. cetera, the brethren of Unaka Lodge No. 506 elected to consolidate with Montgomery Lodge No. 426, which consolidation we were happy under the circumstances to approve. From this amalgamation has come forth a vigorous lodge with fine promise.

DEDICATIONS AND CORNERSTONE LAYINGS

In the wonderful progress that Masonry continues to make we are pleased to report to you, the minutes being recorded elsewhere, of the laying of five cornerstones, one at the Orphanage and one each at Fort Bragg, Greenville, Roxboro and Kinston.

To these pleasant tidings, we are happy to report to you that we shared in the dedication of new temples at Copeland and Roxboro.

Dedications and cornerstone layings mark another step in Masonry's progress. While some sister jurisdictions unfortunately have been complaining and hopefully looking forward to a recession of losses, it is a pleasure to report to you once again that even with the largest number of deaths on record, our net gain for 1963 amounted to 444. This is not an unusual record for North Carolina Masonry but rather represents the rule since 1937. May the Supreme Architect long look with favor on the efforts of you, my dedicated brethren.

OUT-OF-STATE VISITATIONS

It has been our pleasure to have been the guest of our brethren in the Grand Lodge during the past year, the Grand Lodges of Maine, Ontario, Illinois, Ohio, Maryland, Virginia and Connecticut. Immediately prior to becoming Grand Master I represented Most Worshipful Brother Charles C. Ricker at the Grand Lodges of Pennsylvania, Delaware, Oklahoma, Maryland and Maine. These visits have been an enriching experience for this Grand Master and I believe have accrued to the benefit of our Craft in North Carolina. On our visitation to Ohio we were accompanied by Worshipful Brother Robert N. Bass; in Maine by

Most Worshipful Brother Charles Carpenter Ricker; and in Maryland by Most Worshipful Brother Charles A. Harris.

Official visitations were made in Rhode Island and the District of Columbia by Worshipful Robert N. Bass, Junior Grand Deacon; in South Carolina by Most Worshipful Brother Charles A. Harris; in Oklahoma and Arizona by Right Worshipful Brother Sam A. Hennis, Senior Grand Warden; New Jersey, Worshipful Brother Alfred A. Kafer, our Senior Grand Deacon; Delaware by Most Worshipful Brother James W. Brewer and Most Worshipful Brother Robert L. Pugh, and in Louisiana by Most Worshipful Brother Harvey W. Smith. In addition to the above visitations Worshipful Brother William Hooks our Grand Marshal attended the sessions of the Masonic Relief Association in Brooklyn; at the Southeastern Conference of Grand Masters we were represented by Most Worshipful Brother Robert L. Pugh, P.G.M., and Worshipful Brother Alfred A. Kafer, S. G.D.

INTERSTATE VISITATION

Through the splendid cooperation of our Grand Secretary, Most Worshipful Brother Charles A. Harris, P.G.M., and the Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge of Virginia, Most Worshipful Brother Archer B. Gay, P.G.M., we enjoyed together with the Brethren of Virginia a communication on December 9th at Greensboro where to a group of distinguished Masons from Virginia and North Carolina the Grand Master of Virginia, Most Worshipful John Powers Stokes, made a most inspiring address.

On the following evening, Most Worshipful Brother Stokes opened a communication of Roman Eagle Lodge at Danville where this Grand Master was permitted to address another distinguished group of North Carolina and Virginia Masons.

This Interstate Visitation produced splendid reaction and I want to take this opportunity to congratulate Most Worshipful Brothers Harris, Gay and Stokes for the splendid organization and work they did to make possible this fraternization of the Brethren of our two jurisdictions. It is sincerely hcped the communications will continue.

OKLAHOMA VISITATION

While Deputy Grand Master, I had the good fortune to attend the Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Oklahoma held in Guthrie in February, 1963. There, we be-

came acquainted with the very adept and fervid Deputy Grand Master of Oklahoma, Right Worshipful Brother Carson Scott. Shortly thereafter, Brother Scott inquired as to the availability of a North Carolina ritualistic cast to confer the Sublime Degree of Master Mason in Oklahoma. Immediately following receipt of an official invitation, a judging group consisting of Most Worshipful Brother Robert L. Pugh, Chairman; Worshipful Brother Edward P. Blair and Worshipful Brother Harrison Kauffman, reviewed a number of Master Mason Degree Casts in Raleigh where they selected that of Excelsior Lodge No. 261 to make the trek to Oklahoma. The Grand Lodge of Oklahoma provided the transportation, housing and a portion of the sustenance while in Oklahoma City. We would like at this time to express our thanks to the Scottish Rite Bodies in Charlotte for their financial assistance. On Wednesday, October 9th, after a 36-hour bus trip, this very proficient and efficient group with the aid and direction of Worshipful Brother Fred Bickell of Oklahoma, exemplified to more than 3,000 Brethren in the beautiful Scottish Rite Cathedral at Guthrie, as fine a Sublime Degree of Master Mason as it has ever been our pleasure to witness. A number of the Grand Lodge officers as well as your Grand Master enjoyed this perfect presentation as well as the fraternizing with more than 3,000 Masons from Oklahoma and nearby states. It was a magnificent gathering and a meeting of which Masonry in general can well be proud that such enthusiasm can be engendered in this day when so many of us are prone to lament. We heartily congratulate Most Worshipful Brother Scott, Most Worshipful Brother Ralph Howard, Most Worshipful Brother Fred Latham, Worshipful Brother Bickell and the others in Oklahoma as well as our Excelsior Lodge, our Grand Lodge officers, our judges and our hosts who made this trip such a grand success.

It is regretted that space does not permit us to list the name of each who contributed his time and/or talent in this great enterprise—but herewith I express an extra bit of thanks to our friends in Oklahoma for their hospitality.

GRAND MASTERS CONFERENCE

At the combined sessions in Kansas City this year of the Grand Masters Conference, the Masonic Service Association and the George Washington National Memorial Association we were represented by our Deputy Grand Master, Right

Worshipful Brother G. Dudley Humphrey; our Senior Grand Warden, Right Worshipful Sam A. Hennis; our Grand Treasurer, Most Worshipful Brother James W. Brewer; our Grand Secretary, Most Worshipful Brother Charles A. Harris, and our elected representative to those groups, Most Worshipful Brother Robert L. Pugh. In addition, we were happy to share at this group of meetings our transcribing system and our Assistant to the Grand Secretary whose splendid efforts were appropriately acknowledged by the beneficiaries of this favor. At the Grand Masters Conference it was our privilege and honor to serve on the Conference Committee and in consequence it was quite a pleasure during the year to be in fairly frequent communication with that distinguished Mason, Most Worshipful Brother Sam McIntosh, Past Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of the District of Columbia, who served so efficiently and so unselfishly as Executive Secretary of that Conference. It was also our pleasure to serve on the Membership Committee of the Masonic Service Association. At the meeting of the George Washington National Memorial Association the President, Most Worshipful Brother John Hessey, Past Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Maryland, congratulated North Carolina before the entire group assembled for its herculean efforts in endeavoring to culminate this coming year a most successful drive to perpetuate the George Washington National Memorial.

A number of vital subjects were discussed at the Grand Masters Conference; however, since all matters discussed there are intended to give each jurisdiction the benefit of the thinking of the others and since each Grand Lodge maintains its own sovereignty, no conclusions are reached but rather are we given information that could not be available from any other source. This likewise applies to the Masonic Service Association.

Annual attendance on each of these meetings and an active participation therein, on the part of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina is vital, I sincerely believe, to the continued progressive outlook of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina. At these meetings no one tells us what we should do, what is incumbent upon us, etc., rather, each Grand Master does have an opportunity to express his views on any subject he chooses, in addition to those subjects that are set up on the schedule. This is a free-moving meeting that is

not only stimulating but the finest media of communication I know possible between the Grand Jurisdictions.

Elsewhere in this report will be more conclusive reports regarding the Cuban situation, etc., all of which have been handled during the past year on the basis of the valuable assistance and information we have secured from Brothers Cunningham, McIntosh, Hahn, et al. These represent a fine group of real Masonic statesmen.

OTHER VISITATIONS

Space does not permit the listing of each of the Ladies Nights, Anniversaries, Past Masters Nights, etc., which it has been my privilege to visit and on most occasions to be the speaker. As a matter of fact, perhaps I should take this paragraph to apologize to all and sundry for having utilized so much of your time with my thoughts, however, to each of you who has invited me and not only to those that the Assistant to the Grand Secretary could work into my schedule but likewise do I want to express a word of gratitude to the so many, many of you who did ask me to come by but fortunately for you—and unfortunately for the writer—did I already have a jam-packed schedule. I know that the speakers we sent in our place were most acceptable and sincerely, if I may make an observation, you got a much better speech than had the Grand Master himself been there. Thanks to each of you for asking me—perhaps you will give me a raincheck when the schedule lightens following April 22nd.

Numbered among these many visitations were activities set up by Oasis and Sudan Temples of the Shrine. I could not leave this subject without congratulating each of these Temples under the very capable guidance of Brothers Fleming Talman, Ralph Hood, Charles A. Harris and Herbert Ruffin, of the high honor and deference paid to the office of Grand Master. It was very amply demonstrated to everyone that these distinguished Brethren who are carrying on such fine work in the Shrine revere the Blue Lodge membership on which their membership requirement is based. These four Brethren together with their Recorders, Brothers Julian Helms and Nelson Banks, I want to thank for being so thoughtful and appreciative of their Blue Lodge responsibilities. These Brethren are dedicated Masons.

YORK RITE AND SCOTTISH RITE

As Grand Master of Masons during this year, it has been my pleasure to have personally known all of the good Breth-

ren constituting the officers of the Grand Bodies of York Rite as well as the officers of various Consistories of Scottish Rite. Each, I count as a personal friend and on practically each of them have I called during the past year for services in some way to which full and complete response was given. I have had the pleasure of being in attendance at many York Rite and Scottish Rite meetings and although I was present at the Grand York Rite Bodies meeting in Raleigh in May, 1963, unfortunately, unanticipated circumstances precluded my being in attendance at Greensboro in March of this year. That absence was my loss, however, I recorded here that my Sir Knights might know it was with regret I had to pass up their hospitality. I hope they will afford me another opportunity to put in an appearance.

DISTRICT MEETINGS

By reason of an arrangement entered into with my illustrious predecessor Most Worshipful Brother Charles Carpenter Ricker, most District meetings for the past two years have been held on a dual basis, Brother Ricker attending in one of the dual District meetings last year with the writer covering the other district this year. This program has been completed with so much success that I would like at this time to pay tribute to Brother Ricker for his suggestion and his wholehearted cooperation in working out such a schedule. We have covered every district with the exception of two when all of the wonders of modern medical science could not give this Grand Master sufficient resistance to overcome a combination of flu germs that precluded my being at Columbia and Plymouth on January 8th and 9th. I am hopeful that my brethren in Districts one, two, three, and four will permit me to return at some future time, that I might then say I have shaken hands with all of the active brethren in North Carolina. In the meantime, I do want to express appreciation to Brothers Harris and Gray for their so capably taking over for those two meetings. As a matter of fact, the brethren those two days probably fared far better than had the Grand Master himself put in an appearance. I could not recommend, however, to the other Districts that they should have arranged to have conspired to keep the Grand Master out and use the wonderful talents of these two brethren I have just mentioned.

DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTERS

With the three year maximum continuous tenure in the office of District Deputy Grand Master—and that tenure subject to the reapppointment each year by the incoming Grand Master—approximately one-third of the District Deputy Grand Masters for any current year must be new appointments or those who have been out of office more than one year. Accordingly, I "inherited" approximately two-thirds of the present District Deputy Grand Masters but with the so capable aid and assistance of our Grand Secretary and several others with whom I took counsel in various parts of the state, it was our pleasure one year ago to announce a list of District Deputy Grand Masters to serve for the ensuing year that has, with but one exception, proved that a miracle can be achieved; for every appointment, with the one exception, has been most zealous and indefatigable in his efforts to further the work of our Craft. Immediately following Grand Lodge a meeting of the District Deputy Grand Masters was held in Raleigh on Saturday, May 18, and the following Saturday in Charlotte. Each District Deputy was given the privilege of selecting which session he cared to attend and I am happy to advise you every District Deputy Grand Master with but one exception was in attendance, some at both meetings. The one exception resigned shortly thereafter and in his place has been appointed another ardent craftsman who fits in so well with the other fifty-six. This group of men do not represent the lodges in the District but rather represent the Grand Master and I can without fear of contradiction state that no Grand Master ever had a more solid phalanx of intelligent and willing Master Masons to carry on the propagation of the great principles of Freemasonry. Each is a prominent citizen in his community and has substantiated our confidence over these twelve months.

At the two District Deputy conferences we were so capably aided by our Grand Secretary, his Assistant, each of the Grand Lodge Officers and several of the Past Grand Masters. Each of these assemblages proved to be somewhat the equivalent of a "Revival Service," not in the nature that the brethren needed reviving but rather in the spirit of enthusiasm that prevailed and which has continued to prevail throughout the year. For out of that meeting have come District meetings where, almost without exception, the attend-

ance has been such that we have habitually run out of aprons, have continually had to resort to the use of one's handkerchief to become properly clothed—and in one or two instances we have had to resort to paper towels. I offer this not in any facetious manner but rather to bring out to my brethren some idea of the prodigious results achieved by these fifty-seven Masons to whom the Craft owes so much.

At this time it is my pleasure to recommend we accord the honorary title of Past District Deputy Grand Master to the following brethren who have served so well so long:

NAME	LODGE	DISTRICT	YEARS SERVED	TOTAL
Anderson Midgett	698	3	1961-62-63	3
Thomas W. Cathey	688	7	1961-62-63	3
R. Vincent McBryde	8	13	1961-62-63	3
Jesse W. Harris	447	20	1961-62-63	3
W. Gale Parker	218	23	1961-62-63	3
E. Floyd Dunn	550	26	1961-62-63	3
DeWitt T. Scarboro	127	28	1961-62-63	3
Emery B. Denny, Jr.	408	31	1961-62-63	3
Robert L. Harrison	543	37	1961-62-63	3
Joe E. Jenkins	618	38	1961-62-63	3
William S. McMillian	205	39	1961-62-63	3
Earl A. Helms	627	41	1961-62-63	3
Theodore R. Kramer	343	44	1961-62-63	3
Conley Call	407	48	1961-62-63	3
Harry W. Hasskamp	237	52	1961-62-63	3
William C. Silver, Jr.	292	53	1961-62-63	3
Ernest H. Gibbs	719	55	1952-53-63	3

DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND LECTURERS

The District Deputy Grand Lecturers perform a distinct service to the Craft and represent a group of valuable Master Masons. Since the appreciation of them will be more fully expressed by the Grand Lecturer, whose deputies they are, I shall not comment further here except to express on behalf of the 65,000 Masons of North Carolina our gratitude to each of them for a job well done.

The Grand Lodge of North Carolina will always be grateful for the unselfish and wholehearted efforts of Worshipful Brother Nathaniel Dean who at this Communication writes finis to a great Book of Accomplishments as Grand Lecturer. Since the Code restricts the Grand Lecturer to three successive terms, Brother Dean's ableness and assiduity will gratefully be used elsewhere in the quarries to the honor and glory of the Masonry he so loves.

OFFICIAL OPINIONS

Opinion No. 1

You ask for a ruling in the case of Mr John Dillard Frazier based on the following facts:

Facts:

At the stated communication of April 1, 1963, Oconee Lodge No. 427 balloted on the Petition for the Degrees of Mr. John Dillard Frazier, and only one black cube appeared in the box. At this point the Master made the mistake of not balloting again immediately as required in Regulation 76-04(6) of THE CODE, but instead declared the petitioner rejected.

ANSWER:

Upon these facts, it is my opinion that the action of Oconee Lodge No. 427 in rejecting Mr. Frazier is null and void because Regulations 76-16 and 78-01, a dispensation is hereby granted to Since the Grand Master is authorized to order another ballot under Regulation 76-16 and 78-01, a dispensation is hereby granted to Oconee Lodge No. 427 to ballot again on the Petition for the Degrees of Mr. John Dillard Frazier at its stated communication of May 20, 1963, provided that all members of the lodge shall be given not less than ten days' notice by first-class mail under sealed cover of the re-ballot and the time and place therefor.

Let the records of Oconee Lodge No. 427 and those of the Grand Secretary's office be made to conform to this opinion and the results of the re-ballot.

Opinion No. 2

Replying to your letter dated May 13, 1963, I give you an opinion on the following facts:

On November 12, 1944, Brother Norman Wesley Massey was excluded for nonpayment of dues by Durham Lodge No. 352. This exclusion occurred while Brother Massey was overseas serving in the armed forces during World War II.

Upon the basis of the facts in this case, it is my opinion that Durham Lodge No. 352 was at fault in excluding this brother for nonpayment of dues when he should not have been excluded, and under authority of Regulation 88-05 of THE CODE, I hereby order that the exclusion and restoration mentioned above be erased from Brother Massey's record, and that he be given a 25-Year Certificate in accordance with Regulation 88-03 of THE CODE.

Let the records of Durham Lodge No. 352 and those of the Grand Secretary be made to conform to this opinion. The Grand Secretary will issue further instructions as to the records and to all financial matters involved.

This opinion shall be read in full at the first stated communication of this lodge after its receipt and entered in full in the minutes thereof, and marginal notations shall be made in the minutes for November 12, 1944 and January 11, 1946, referring to this official opinion and to the date it is recorded in the minutes.

According to an affidavit signed by the present Secretary of Durham Lodge No. 352 and by the brother who was Secretary of the

lodge at the time of Brother Massey's exclusion for NPD, Durham Lodge No. 352 had a resolution during the years of World War II stating that a member would not be suspended for NPD while he was in service overseas.

Brother Massey paid his dues when he returned and was restored to membership on January 11, 1946; however, he does not remember having been told that he was excluded for NPD or that he was restored. Apparently, he simply thought he was receiving credit for payment of dues.

Opinion No. 3

I have reviewed the matter of the election of Mr. Albert Columbus Purvis in Pythagoras Lodge No. 249, which ballot took place on June 18, 1963, without the Petition for the Degrees having been certified by your office.

This ballot was ILLEGAL and VOID because it is a violation of the provisions of Regulations 76-01 and 73-13 of THE CODE which make it mandatory for a petition to bear the certification of the Grand Secretary before a ballot can be taken.

The Grand Master is empowered to order another ballot in such cases; therefore, a dispensation is hereby granted to Pythagoras Lodge No. 249 to reballot on this petition at the stated communication of this lodge to be held on July 16, 1963, since you advise that the petition has now been certified.

You will issue such directions to the lodge as may be necessary to carry out this Order.

Opinion No. 4

After reading the communication from your lodge dated September 10, 1963, and it appearing to me that while the reballot was being taken, Brother F. V. Pate, Junior Warden, approached the East while the balloting was in progress and before the results of the reballot had been announced or declared by the Master, and called the attention to an irregularity in connection with the secret ballot on the Petition for the Degrees, that it was the duty of the Master to immediately stop the balloting and take another ballot complying fully with Regulations 71-13; 76-04(6, 7, 12); and 76-20 of THE CODE, and this not having been done, the said secret ballot was illegally taken.

William G. Hill Lodge No. 218 is hereby authorized to take a reballot on the said Petition for the Degrees at your next stated communication to be held on September 23, 1963, as provided in Regulation 76-01(1) of THE CODE.

This Official Opinion shall be read in full at your stated communication on September 23, 1963, and entered in full in the minutes thereof, and a marginal notation shall be made in the minutes for September 9, 1963, referring to this Official Opinion and to the date it is recorded in the minutes.

Let the records of William G. Hill Lodge No. 218 and those of the Grand Secretary's office be made to conform to this Official Opinion and the result of the reballot.

(NOTE: All Official Opinions approved. See Report of Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence, Docket No. 59 on Page 167, of these Proceedings.)

EDICTS

CUBA

Early in my term as Grand Master, we began to receive inquiries from Subordinate Lodges as to what they might do relative to Brethren from Cuba desiring to visit local lodges. This matter was most comprehensively discussed with many Grand Masters, Grand Secretaries as well as that very capable Mason, Worshipful Brother John Cunningham of MSA. After carefully assembling the data, the matter was fully discussed with our Board of General Purposes and following that meeting, was issued our Edict on Cuba. It is referred to and with comments thereon by our very able, learned and wise counselor, Most Worshipful Brother Charles Harrison Pugh, the Chairman of our Committee on Fraternal Correspondence. "Doctor Charlie" has for a long time been of invaluable assistance not only to his Grand Lodge in general but to this Grand Master in particular.

EDICT

To The Masters, Wardens, and Brethren of The Subordinate Lodges of The Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of North Carolina:

WHEREAS, The situation with respect to Cuban Masons is now so confused that many Grand Lodges, attempting to bring order out of chaos and to make it possible for any qualified Cuban Mason in exile to exercise his privilege of Masonic visitation, have issued edicts purporting to make such visitations possible; and

WHEREAS, The Grand Lodge of North Carolina feels it highly desirable to provide qualified Cuban Masonic brethren the opportunity to hold Masonic communication, and to visit with the brethren and lodges of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina, Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, while still protecting and safeguarding Freemasonry and Masonic lodges against infiltration by undesirable brethren, and against the insidious threat of Communist infiltration; and

WHEREAS, The Grand Lodge of North Carolina understands that in 1959 when many of the Cuban Masons fled to Florida and to exile, that along with them fled the Grand Secretary and the last duly-elected Grand Master of Masons of Cuba, Dr Juan Jose Tarajano, carrying with them the membership records of the Grand Lodge of Cuba, as well as the Great Seal; and that subsequently the Grand Lodge of Florida, F. & A.M., in order to safeguard the visitation privileges of these qualified Masons in exile, organized an Avouchment Committee (or Liaison) with Dr. Tarajano a member thereof, which committee could serve as a reference or Avouchment Committee for all Grand Lodges seeking to determine the validity of any brother's claim to Masonic affiliation through a lodge of Cuba; and

WHEREAS, The Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina in April, 1962, agreed to recognize the Grand Lodge of Cuba in Exile and did not, at the same time or subsequently, withdraw its recognition of the Grand Lodge of Cuba (in Cuba);

NOW THEREFORE, I, W. EDWARD BURRIER, Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, do now issue this EDICT, and I hereby direct:

First, That the recognition of the Grand Lodge of Cuba (in Cuba) by the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina be, and the same hereby is, withdrawn until further notice; and

Second, That until further notice no Lodge in this Grand Jurisdiction of North Carolina, Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, nor any of its Masters, Wardens, and brethren recognize and admit, or permit, visitations into such lodge by a brother claiming membership through a lodge of Cuba, except and unless such brother present a CERTIFICATE FOR VISITATION approving such brother, issued by the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina, bearing the Great Seal of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina, and the signature of the Grand Secretary thereof, as well as bearing the Great Seal of the Grand Lodge of Cuba in Exile, and the signature of Dr. Juan Jose Tarajano, the last duly-elected Grand Master of Masons of Cuba.

Third, That in order to obtain this CERTIFICATE FOR VISITATION, the Brother must present 1959 Dues Card to the Secretary of the lodge he desires to visit. The Secretary will forward the Dues Card to the Grand Secretary, who will prepare a CERTIFICATE FOR VISITATION appropriate for the purpose and send the CERTIFICATE FOR VISITATION and the Dues Card to the AVOUCHMENT COMMITTEE of the Grand Lodge of Florida. The AVOUCHMENT COMMITTEE with Dr. Tarajano will then determine whether the Brother is duly qualified and will affix the Great Seal of the Grand Lodge of Cuba in Exile and the signature of Dr. Tarajano. This CERTIFICATE FOR VISITATION and Dues Card will then be returned to the Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina. The Grand Secretary will affix the Great Seal of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina and his signature to the CERTIFICATE FOR VISITATION and will forward both the CERTIFICATE and the Dues Card to the Secretary of the subordinate lodge, who will then notify the Brother of its receipt and then will retain it in his possession. The CERTIFICATE FOR VISITATION will state that it is good for admission only to the lodge the Brother initially desired to visit and that it is valid only for a period of six months after date of issue. It is anticipated that during this six-months' period the Brother will have opportunity to petition for affiliation. At the end of the six-months' period the Secretary will return the CERTIFICATE FOR VISITATION to the Grand Secretary.

Fourth, That in addition to the aforesaid requirements, the applicant for recognition, admission or visitation, after he is in possession of his CERTIFICATE FOR VISITATION, shall also be subject to full, complete and thorough Masonic examination and interrogation by a committee appointed by the Master of the lodge for such purpose, and the report of the committee shall be submitted for the unanimous consent of the lodge as to whether the applying Brother shall be allowed or denied such right.

Fifth, That this EDICT shall be read at the next Stated Communication of all subordinate lodges of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina after receipt thereof.

Sixth, That the Grand Secretary shall make such distribution of this EDICT to the Masonic world as shall be appropriate.

THIS EDICT, made and issued, to be effective from this the 9th day of July, A.L. 5963, A.D. 1963.

W. EDWARD BURRIER, *Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina*

(SEAL)

Attest: C. A. HARRIS, *Grand Secretary*

INQUIRIES OF SUBORDINATE LODGES

It has come to us that from various non-Masonic sources inquiries are possibly being made of fraternal organizations for information relative to their Constitutions, their By-laws, their procedures, etc. Such inquiries of which we have heard have come from sources whose legal rights to make such inquiries are questionable. Accordingly, based on information we have received from Masonic Service Association, correspondence with the Grand Lodge of Rhode Island, etc., your Board of General Purposes agreed with this Grand Master that the item was of sufficient importance, that an Edict was issued in March, 1964. We hope it meets with your favor.

EDICT

To: The Masters, Wardens, and Brethren of The Particular Lodges of The Grand Jurisdiction of The Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M. of North Carolina:

WHEREAS, It has been brought to our attention that in recent months certain governmental agencies, or organizations, or departments, or advisory, or other committees acting for, or in behalf of, certain governmental agencies, organizations or departments, have been making certain inquiries either in the form of an open letter, or by means of a questionnaire, of various clubs, fraternities, sororities, concerning the characteristics of the membership of which they are composed and other pertinent data usually considered by such fraternities, or clubs, as being of a very private nature, and

WHEREAS, It is our profound belief that Masonic Lodges everywhere now must be on guard and use the utmost diligence to preserve their inherent nature and type of organization lest certain governmental agencies, or organizations, make such inroads upon our sacred belief and practices as to endanger our very existence as a fraternity;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, W. Edward Burrier, Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, do now issue this Edict and I hereby direct:

1. That no lodge in this Grand Jurisdiction of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina, nor any master or other officer, or brother, give any answer, either written or oral, to any inquiry, request, or questionnaire concerning our Fraternity, its organization, its structure, its membership, or any other related phase of our fraternity from any non-Masonic organization, agency, or governmental department, and

2. That in the event any such inquiry, request, or questionnaire is received by any lodge, its Master, or other officers, or members, it shall immediately be forwarded to the Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina for his consideration and action, and

3. That this Edict shall be read at the next regular meeting, i.e., Stated Communication, of all Master Mason lodges of the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of North Carolina after receipt hereof, and

4. That the Grand Secretary shall make such distribution of this Edict to the Masonic world as shall be appropriate.

THIS EDICT made and issued, to be effective from this the 18th day of March, A.L., 5964, A.D., 1964.

W. EDWARD BURRIER,
Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina.

(SEAL)

Attest:
CHARLES A. HARRIS,
Grand Secretay.

FORT BRAGG

Our beloved Brethren of Fort Bragg Lodge No. 667 sometime ago elected to purchase a lot off the reservation with the idea of discontinuing their meetings on Fort Bragg reservation. Along this line, it was my pleasure during October to lay the foundation stone of what is going to be a beautiful temple. In November, after having heard many rumors to the effect that such a call would probably be forthcoming, I received a phone message the Commandant of the reservation had issued an order that our minutes and records of all financial transactions, etc., must be furnished to the Commandant. My understanding by phone of that requirement was that this included not only the meetings and transactions of the past but would require a prompt filing of the minutes of future meetings as well as future financial transactions. Without going into too much detail, I am happy to advise you United States Senator (and Brother) Ervin as well as Congressman Charles Raper Jonas, at my request, contacted the Department of Defense in Washington following which the Commandant at Fort Bragg withdrew the order stating that it would not be applicable to our Masonic Lodge. Thus endeth the story except to say that of our own volition the Lodge will shortly meet in its own temple off the reservation.

SUBORDINATE LODGES

I have recorded here that the year has been such a pleasant one regarding which we shall comment more in closing, however, it is necessary to say that during the year one

cloud did appear. As a matter of fact, our troubles were so few during the year that instead of speaking of our problems for the year, perhaps we should be very grateful that such unpalatable instances did not exceed the one that follows. At a location that it would probably be better to leave unnamed here, there existed between two lodges having concurrent jurisdiction an ill feeling which, from all information that could be developed, had occured a number of years ago and was still being continued by but one or two dissidents. After thoroughly investigating the matter through the officers and members of Grand Lodge, I called a meeting at which summons were issued to each of the officers of each of the two lodges as well as to each of the Past Masters of each lodge. At the meeting held in the Temple of one of these two lodges every brother summoned was present with the exception of two who requested and to whom I had granted excuse for valid reasons.

That meeting was most capably presided over by our Right Worshipful Deputy Grand Master, assisted by our Right Worshipful Senior Grand Warden, the Right Worshipful Junior Grand Warden and our Right Worshipful Grand Secretary. Complete frankness prevailed, the meeting culminating in your Grand Master severly admonishing the brother obviously the cause of these troubles. Rather than dwell on these distasteful but highly necessary proceedings, I am happy to tell you that at the beginning of this year 1964 the two lodges which had been separated now meet in the same temple, they share the same aims, and there is greater inter-lodge visitation between the two. I am assured by the Master of each lodge that harmony does and will continue to prevail in this small city which has suffered so long. The present generation of Masons will not be manacled by any prejudices of the years gone before. As this report is being dictated a Certified Public Accountant has been employed by one of the lodges at the direction of the Grand Master, and is currently making a complete audit of the "Temple Fund" of one of the two lodges. As suggested at the beginning of this subject, rather than regard this episode as a tragedy, perhaps we should regard it as a blessing in that our countretemps during the year were no greater than this one incident.

To the Brethren involved in this circumstance, may I remind you again of that beautiful Masonic charge, "Live

in Peace, and May the God of Love and Peace Delight to Dwell With and to Bless You."

VETERANS HOSPITAL—SALISBURY

The Masonic Service Association carries on a great humanitarian work in arranging for visitation at various government hospitals. Early during our Grand Lodge year, the Commandant of the United States Veterans Hospital at Salisbury requested this Grand Master to arrange for a hospital visitor to be available at his hospital. Through the very efficient and capable efforts of our ardent Brother Harold Isenhour under the direction of our M. S. A. Representative, Most Worshipful Robert L. Pugh, assisted by Most Worshipful James W. Brewer, contact was had with Worshipful Brother William Edmunds of the MSA and after a series of meetings, a volunteer program was worked out by MSA satisfactory to the government to be handled by the lodges in Salisbury. To each of these Brethren have I mentioned as well as a number of others whose names I do not have before me as this report is being prepared, do I want to say thank you not only on behalf of your 65,000 Brethren of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina, but more especially on behalf of those Masons, who, but for what you have done, would be spending a most lonesome day in a great big hospital far away from home.

GRAND REPRESENTATIVES

For too long, too many of us have regarded the title of Grand Representative as merely an honor bestowed upon us by a beneficient Grand Master after being approved by the Grand Lodge to whom we might be accredited, however, it was the privilege this year of those of us who received the Masonic Service Association Bulletin to be enlightened by a splendid treatise on Grand Representatives. Most Worshipful Brother Conrad Hahn very capably and comprehensively points out in that bulletin that, properly pursued, the duties of a Grand Representative are of invaluable aid to communication between Grand Jurisdictions. Each of our Grand Representatives has been furnished a copy of this bulletin and I am sure each of them feels fully the responsibility incumbent upon him in this position of importance.

Due to vacancies created by our recognition of other Grand Lodges as well as to vacancies caused by the all-de-

vouring Scythe of Time, the following Grand Representatives have been appointed:

Representatives of Other Grand Lodges Near the Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

Delaware—Gilbert Raymond Cooper (700)

Florida—Ben C. Maffitt, Jr. (31)

Missouri—Emery B. Denny (668)—This was an old appointment, but was never confirmed and commission was not received until 1964.

New Mexico—Samuel Dudley Smith (343)

Minnesota—James Jethro Gilbert (284)—not as yet confirmed by Minnesota.

"Cuscatlan," El Salvador—Ben L. Watts (27)

India—Victor Lee Riggsbee (700)

Venezuela—Marshall Edward Propst (728)

Belgium—Haskell Lee Nivens—(Nominated June 19, 1963—No commission as yet received)

Representatives of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina Near Other Grand Lodges:

Kansas—Chester B. Fullerton

Nevada—Henry C. Nelson

Wisconsin—Emory W. Krauthoefer

"Benito Juarez"—Arthuro Escobedo Pina

Cartagena—Jose G. Cohen

India—E. P. Bharucha

COMMITTEE ON MASONIC RESEARCH AND EDUCATION

The Committee on Masonic Research and Education under Most Worshipful Brother Robert L. Pugh has accomplished an outstanding work—which is only par for the course for such a group of Masons as constitute the membership on that Committee under this most qualified leader. During the year our budget for this item became exhausted. The Chairman felt that we should examine the results being obtained before making an emergency appropriation to continue the work. Such a survey was carried on by Brother Pugh from which were received replies to indicate that the material was splendid, that it was being disseminated in *most* instances, that in *most* instances it was doing a great deal of good resulting in the conclusions by Brother Pugh and his Committee that perhaps some further study should be given to the manner of *disseminating* the data. This matter is currently being considered by Brother Pugh and his Committee, however, in the meantime in acordance

with the desire of the Right Worshipful Deputy Grand Master and the Grand Master, Brother Pugh has concurred and has prepared a limited number of papers for this year while the Committee is working assiduously in its effort to find the means of performing the mission which it desires to accomplish. Theirs has been a stupendous enterprise and well deserves the merit and approbation of their brethren which we at this Annual Communication, I know, are glad to give.

OXFORD ORPHANAGE, MASONIC AND EASTERN STAR HOME

In our Masonic Orphanage at Oxford, which bears such a splendid reputation not only among the brethren in this state but likewise among such knowledgeable institutions as the Duke Foundation, isn't it good to contemplate that at this very moment as we sit here 318 children, who would otherwise well be termed waifs—which is all the more remarkable because but 6% of them are Masonically connected—live in an atmosphere of security and love because you, my Brother, wear that apron which adorns you at this moment. Yes, my Brother, little birds with broken wings—these unwanted children—will soar to normal heights because of what you do about your obligation of charity. Some child today in a loveless home will six months from today be in that atmosphere of love and protection because of you and your bounteousness.

Likewise, at Greensboro there are today 100 Masons, their widows, their daughters or mothers. And while we are so happy that we carry on this work of love, pause with me to reflect on the tragedy of the 27 who patiently wait admission which can only be gained to our limited quarters when one of the present guests leaves by way of the hearse at the back door.

My brethren, a building program is underway at each of our institutions. We must give our undivided attention to the continuance of these charities since we certainly do not want you or me to be told upon making application that you or your widow, must wait eighteen months because you and I as Masons have not provided.

Earlier in this report, in expressing my acknowledgements, I spoke of the magnificent character of our two Brethren, Brothers Gray and Robbins who serve as our working tools in carrying on our obligations of charity to

the orphans, our elderly Masons, their widows, et cetera. Please visit at Oxford, please visit at Greensboro and know the joy that you give to others because of what you do through your Masonic charities. A kind Heavenly Father has richly endowed us in giving us the services of Brother Leon Gray and Brother Troy Robbins to carry on this great law of the Master to "love thy neighbor as thyself."

OTHER ORGANIZATIONS

The Order of DeMolay very kindly set up a Grand Master's class the Sunday following Christmas, however, due to my incapacitation caused by influenza, as mentioned earlier in the report, I was unable to be present but had my address most eloquently delivered by Brother L. B. Hood, Chairman of the sponsoring committee of DeMolay in Charlotte. Due to a schedule taking care of just about every night in the week on Blue Lodge functions, it has not been possible to be present at any DeMolay communications, however, I think well of this organization, having been a DeMolay more than forty years ago. During our year, there was a misunderstanding relative to a DeMolay Headquarters proposed promotional campaign, however, with the advent of the Grand Chaplain of DeMolay from Kansas City, the misunderstanding was worked out harmoniously and the Order seems to be thriving in North Carolina.

We have not received and I am advised none of my predecessors has received any advices, acknowledgments, or requests from the Order of Rainbow Girls.

The Order of Job's Daughters has written to this Grand Master requesting assistance in their becoming activated in the state of North Carolina. That matter has been carefully considered by a committee of distinguished Grand Lodge Officers whose recommendations I am happy to subscribe to and accordingly I have addressed the inquiring officer of Job's Daughters to the effect that while the Grand Lodge of North Carolina recognizes only the York Rite and the Scottish Rite as collateral bodies, on the other hand we know of no reason after investigation why a subordinate lodge could not sponsor a Bethel or Job's Daughters on the same basis that such lodge might sponsor an assembly of Rainbow Girls or a chapter of DeMolay.

HONORARY MEMBERSHIPS AND AWARDS

It has been my privilege to have been accorded honorary membership in so many of your lodges. As I have expressed on each occasion when such a certificate has been presented to me, such a grant of honorary membership is not considered by this person to be a routine one. Rather do I value it so much beyond the ordinary membership since it comes unsolicited. In each case have I suggested to the brethren that they endeavor to transpose themselves to my position that they might more fully comprehend what I am trying to say in my inability to properly express a wholehearted appreciation for a generous gesture of brotherly love and friendship on your part. Each of these honorary memberships is deeply treasured.

Likewise, I am so grateful to my mother lodge Phalanx for its life membership. This represents the only life membership of that distinguished lodge and I hold it as one of the highest honors that I have been privileged to receive.

To Sudan Temple, the Red Fez Club, and numerous other organizations basing their membership requirements on Masonic affiliation, I shall always be grateful for your remembering and honoring your author.

We shall with great pride wear the Award of Merit presented to us by the Worshipful Master of Greensboro Lodge No. 76 in March, 1964.

The Award of Merit from the Grand Lodge of Ohio, as well as the Award of Merit from my predecessor, Most Worshipful Charles Carpenter Ricker, while placed in prominent positions in my office, are with the Award from Greensboro Lodge much more appreciated by being accorded a hallowed place within my heart to these thoughtful and generous Masons.

JOSEPH MONTFORT MEDALS

It would be superfluous to repeat here the background, the reasons, etc., for the Joseph Montfort Medal. It suffices to say that the potential recipients are carefully screened and as with my predecessor, I take great pride in announcing the following recipients of that Medal:

Most Worshipful Brother Charles Carpenter Ricker, my distinguished predecessor to whom I have alluded frequently in this report.

Most Worshipful Brother Andrew White, P.G.M. of Ohio and Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge of Ohio, a great Mason deservedly nationally known and highly regarded.

Most Worshipful Brother Eli Hand, a grand P.G.M. of Masons in North Carolina who so capably presided during the year 1959-60.

Most Worshipful Brother Samuel McIntosh, P.G.M. of Masons in the District of Columbia, not only a great Grand Master, but one who continues to serve Masonry so capably and so unselfishly as Executive Secretary of the Grand Masters Conference of North America. This is one of America's great Masons.

Most Worshipful Brother Martin L. Kinsinger, P.G.M. of Masons of Maryland, a most deservedly nationally known Mason, but also one to whom this Grand Master owes so much for his counsel and guidance. Most Worshipful Brother Kinsinger in every respect is a great Mason.

APPOINTMENT OF GRAND STEWARD

At the time of my installation as Grand Master in Asheville, it was my pleasure to appoint as Grand Steward, my long-time friend and learned Masonic brother, Worshipful Brother Fred Trethewey, Past Master of Friendship Lodge No. 700. Brother Trethewey had been reluctant to accept the appointment in view of a personal business that was superabounding. During the year, that augmentation exceeded even his most optimistic expectations. Very reluctantly he again discussed his complication with your Grand Master and later presented a letter of resignation stating that while he would continue to be of assistance to the Craft in any way possible, it was not feasible in view of his personal responsibilities to continue on in the Grand Lodge Line. It was with the deepest regret that I accepted his resignation. Brother Trethewey is a well-read Mason and vigorous in his propagation of the principles of the Craft. We hope that some day he may be able to give more fully of his time, but we are assured that he will give all of the time that he can during this transition period of growth in his business. It is the loss of Grand Lodge that he cannot continue with us.

While it was with regret and a feeling of loss that I accepted Brother Trethewey's resignation, on the other hand, as I advised the Board of General Purposes, I could most highly recommend my new appointment, Worshipful Brother William Watson Mims, Past Master of Joppa Lodge No. 530. Brother Mims is one of the most capable Masons in North Carolina, enjoying a state-wide acquaint-

anceship with the Craft. Brother Mims' business connections are such that he will be able to devote a great deal of his time to Masonry and my feeling is shared by the Board of General Purposes that in Brother Mims we have started a most capable Grand Lodge Line Officer with great potential. Brother Mims was duly installed by Grand Lodge in Emergent Communication.

THOMAS J. HARKINS

During the Masonic lifetime of most of us the name of Most Worshipful Brother Thomas J. Harkins has been synonymous with Masonry. He has served so well, so faithfully and with distinction in many Masonic fields and to Brother Harkins the Craft of North Carolina will always owe a great debt. This erudite and intellectual brother has contributed with unlimited generosity his time and his many-faceted talents all without any expense whatsoever to Freemasonry. Mere words that I might say here could never adequately serve as paint and brush to furnish the picture of Brother Harkins' contribution to the Craft, hence, when we received in February his request that due to reasons of health he be permitted to resign from the Board of General Purposes, truly one could almost feel the passing of an era. While the Grand Master and the Board of General Purposes had to accept that resignation it was only accepted after the Grand Master received the assurance of Brother Harkins that his counsel and guidance would always be available to those of us who have more health with which to today labor in the quarries. Elsewhere in this proceedings is a resolution of appreciation to this Pillar of Boaz, as prepared by a committee from the Board of General Purposes appointed by the Grand Master.

With the resignation of Most Worshipful Brother Thomas J. Harkins a vacancy, of course, occurred on this most important board of advisors and counselors, hence it was necessary to carefully survey the field that we might use only the finest talent for the benefit of our brethren. We quoted earlier in this report our acknowledgement of thanks to an eminent and illustrious Mason, Most Worshipful Brother James G. Johnston. For a while during his term as Grand Master and shortly thereafter Brother Johnston was incapacitated, but now is enjoying a vigorous return to work with the Craft and I am happy to advise you that he

has kindly consented to complete the remainder of the term of Brother Thomas J. Harkins on the Board of General Purposes. Masonry is happy to have the privilege of the services of this fine Mason.

RECOMMENDATIONS

I recomend that we continue our usual appropriations to the Oxford Orphanage, the Masonic and Eastern Star Home, Charity, the Masonic Service Association, the Grand Masters' Conference, the Grand Secretaries' Conference, Masonic Relief Association of the United States and Canada, George Washington Masonic National Memorial Association, the Masonic Service Association for Hospital Visitation, the Grand Chapter of DeMolay.

Based on the comprehensive report of Most Worshipful Brother Robert L. Pugh, P.G.M., and Worshipful Brother Alfred Kafer, Jr., S. G. D., it is the recommendation of this Grand Master that we affiliate with the Southeastern Masonic Conference and that we invite them to hold their annual session in North Carolina in 1965. This Conference is doing a great work as evidenced by the report of our distinguished representatives. I also recommend that an appropriation be made for the printing of *The Code.*

This does not include the usual request for the Order of Rainbow Girls, however, this lack of recommendation on my part is not due to any desire to eliminate Rainbow Girls but rather represents a lack of communication with that organization, our Grand Lodge having received no communication of any kind from them during the year nor any previous years. I have been interested in this organization from a family standpoint over a period of a number of years, however, I cannot conscientiously recommend that Grand Lodge make an appropriation to an institution or organization from whom we have received no reports, requests, acknowledgments, etc.

Of course, the same consideration and the same decision under the circumstances would apply to the Order of Job's Daughters if and when activated in North Carolina.

(NOTE: Each Recommendation involving finances was approved by the Committee on Finance and budgeted under the proper item. See Docket No. 58 on Pages 162-166, of these Proceedings.)

CONCLUSION

Before closing I want to pay a most important tribute to some very indulgent folks.

To my long-suffering and patient sweetheart of forty years and to those two daughters whose always ready answer as to Daddy's whereabouts consisted of two words "Masonic Temple," I am deeply grateful for their tolerance and their patience. Not only have I been long-gone-so-often, but so frequently on my infrequent visits at home have they had to listen to the preparation, rehearsal, et cetera, of that next speech to be made. So often have they tolerantly apparently been convulsed in laughter at the same joke they have been compelled to hear dozens of times. To constitute the wife and family of a Grand Master is a task in which no Grand Master ever had more support, more encouragement and more love than this Grand Master has had from Helen, Joyce and Judy.

And now, my brethren, in Asheville I gave you my solemn vow that I would utilize my energies during the coming year to the advancement of Freemasonry in North Carolina. I have tried my very best to fulfill the demands of those responsibilities and I hope that my efforts have met with your favor. I have had the privilege of visiting in many Grand Jurisdictions. I have seen Freemasonry in operation in many sections of this country, but I want to assure my brethren of North Carolina that nowhere have I found a more fervent zeal and spirit of enthusiasm for the fundamental principles of Freemasonry than I have found here with my brethren in The Old North State.

I can appropriately now use a few words of the Apostle Paul when he said, "The time of my departure is at hand."

Certainly, the year of my service as Grand Master is complete and in the foregoing I have attempted to render unto you a report of my stewardship. The Apostle Paul went on to say, "I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith." I can only say to you that I have done my very best to fight a good fight. I have sincerely tried to my utmost to carry Freemasonry to the brethren. I have tried to uphold the high standard which Freemasonry continues to uphold, and I have honestly done the best that I could to keep the faith. That wherein I may have fallen short, I trust will be accepted by the Supreme

Architect of the Universe as a failure due to my human limitations and not due to any intent of the heart.

To this I can safely subscribe: It has been the most marvelous year of my life. I have met with brethren from the east to the west, from the north to the south, and everywhere have I found Freemasonry striving to accomplish something in the community and to make that community a better place in which to live. Everywhere I have witnessed optimism for the future of Freemasonry. These are the things, my brethren, that have caused my enthusiasm to soar. They have inspired me and have been my motivation to do everything within my meager talents to transmit the Craft to my sucessor in good condition. I can only pray that something I have done may cause his work to be a little easier and to help him reap the maximum enjoyment from his labors as Grand Master. I know that his association with the brethren throughout North Carolina will be to him, as it has been to me, the most enlightening and inspiring experience of his life. To that end, I shall continue to serve the Craft, and I pledge to him, as I pledge to you, my continued dedication to the cause of Freemasonry and to render any service to the Craft that he and the Grand Lodge might desire.

May God's richest blessings be upon him and each of you as we look forward now to the beginning of a new Masonic year. God bless you.

Grand Master

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF GENERAL PURPOSES ON THE DISTRIBUTION OF THE REPORT OF THE GRAND MASTER

(Docket No. 30)

The following Report of the Board of General Purposes on the distribution of the report of the Grand Master was read by M.'.W.'.Brother Charles A. Harris, P.G.M., Grand Secretary, entered on the record and unanimously adopted:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Board of General Purposes, in compliance with the provisions of THE CODE, has reviewed and carefully considered the report of the Most Worshipful Grand Master, Brother W. Edward Burrier, in all of its detail, and submit this report:

We congratulate the Grand Master upon his performance of the manifold duties of the office of Grand Master, as reflected in the clear, concise and well deliberated report of his activities. The benefit of such thorough and efficient leadership inures to the everlasting credit of Freemasonry in this Grand Jurisdiction and beyond our borders and, as the beneficiaries of it, we congratulate our Grand Lodge and the members of the Craft in North Carolina.

The Board recommends:

(1) That the parts of the Grand Master's report which relate to decisions, dispensations, amendments to THE CODE, and other legal matters be referred to the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence;

(2) That the portions relative to matters of finance be referred to the Committee on Finance;

(3) That the portions concerning the Oxford Orphanage and the Masonic and Eastern Star Home, respectively, be referred to the respective Committees or Boards on those institutions; and

(4) That other matters in his report be assigned without further specific reference to the Committee or Commission which should properly and promptly consider them.

Respectfully submitted,

G. DUDLEY HUMPHREY, *Deputy Grand Master*
SAM A. HENNIS, JR., *Senior Grand Warden*
ARNOLD J. KOONCE, *Junior Grand Warden*
JAMES W. BREWER, P.G.M., *Grand Treasurer*
CHARLES A. HARRIS, P.G.M. *Grand Secretary*
WILLIAM J. BUNDY, P.G.M.
CHARLES B. NEWCOMB, P.G.M.
WATSON N. SHERROD, P.G.M.
ROBERT L. PUGH, P.G.M.
CHARLES H. PUGH, P.G.M.
JAMES G. JOHNSTON, P.G.M.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF GENERAL PURPOSES ON THE MEETING PLACE OF THE GRAND LODGE FOR THE ANNUAL COMMUNICATION IN APRIL, 1965

(Docket No. 31)

The following Report of the Board of General Purposes on the meeting place of the Grand Lodge for the Annual Communication in April, 1965, was read by M.'.W.'.Brother Charles A. Harris, P.G.M., Grand Secretary, and unanimously adopted:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Board of General Purposes, at its regular meeting held on January 10, 1964, recommended that the Grand Lodge meet in Raleigh for the 178th Annual Communication to be held April 20-21, 1965.

Respectfully submitted,

W. EDWARD BURRIER, *Grand Master, Chm.*
G. DUDLEY HUMPHREY, *Deputy Grand Master*
SAM A. HENNIS, JR., *Senior Grand Warden*
ARNOLD J. KOONCE, *Junior Grand Warden*
JAMES W. BREWER, P.G.M., *Grand Treasurer*
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WILLIAM J. BUNDY, P.G.M.
CHARLES B. NEWCOMB, P.G.M.
WATSON N. SHERROD, P.G.M.
ROBERT L. PUGH, P.G.M.
THOMAS J. HARKINS, P.G.M.
CHARLES H. PUGH, P.G.M.

PRESENTATION OF JOSEPH MONTFORT MEDALS

(Docket No. 32)

The Grand Master announced the recipients of the Joseph Montfort Medal for Distinguished Service to Masonry:

M.'.W.'.CHARLES CARPENTER RICKER
Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

M.'.W.'.WILLIAM ELI HAND
Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

M.'.W.'.ANDREW J. WHITE, JR.
Past Grand Master of Masons in Ohio and
Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge of F. & A.M. of Ohio

M.'.W.'.SAMUEL W. McINTOSH
Past Grand Master of Masons in the District of Columbia

M.'.W.'.MARTIN H. KINSINGER
Past Grand Master of Masons in Maryland

PETITION FOR CHARTER TWIN COUNTY LODGE U.D.

(Docket No. 33)

The petition of Twin County Lodge U.D., at Rocky Mount, for a charter was read and referred to the Committee on Charters and Dispensations. (SEE report of the Committee on Charters and Dispensations on Page 152 at Docket No. 51 for action taken thereon, and SEE the APPENDIX to the Proceedings for 1964 for a *facsimile* of the said petition. SEE *facsimile* of the charter issued in the APPENDIX to the Proceedings for 1964.)

PETITION FOR CHARTER STEDMAN LODGE U.D.

(Docket No. 34)

The petition of Stedman Lodge U.D., at Stedman, for a charter was read and referred to the Committee on Charters and Dispensations. (SEE report of the Committee on Charters and Dispensations on Page 152 at Docket No. 51 for action taken thereon, and SEE the APPENDIX to the Proceedings for 1964 for a *facsimile* of the said petition. SEE *facsimile* of the charter issued in the APPENDIX to the Proceedings for 1964.)

PETITION FOR CHARTER JOHN HUSKE ANDERSON LODGE U.D.

(Docket No. 35)

The petition of John Huske Anderson Lodge U.D., at Fayetteville for a charter was read and referred to the Committee on Charters and Dispensations. (SEE report of the Committee on Charters and Dispensations on Page 152 at Docket No. 51 for action taken thereon, and SEE the APPENDIX to the Proceedings for 1964 for a *facsimile* of the said petition. SEE *facsimile* of the charter issued in the APPENDIX to the Proceedings for 1964.)

PETITION FOR CHARTER BUSH HILL LODGE U.D.

(Docket No. 36)

The petition of Bush Hill Lodge U.D., at Archdale for a charter was read and referred to the Committee on Charters and Dispensations. (SEE report of the Committee on Chapters and Dispensations on Page 152 at Docket No. 51 for action taken thereon, and SEE the APPENDIX to the Proceedings for 1964 for a *facsimile* of the said petition. SEE *facsimile* of the charter issued in the APPENDIX to the Proceedings for 1964.)

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE OXFORD ORPHANAGE, INC. FOR THE YEAR 1963

(Docket No. 37)

The Board of Directors of Oxford Orphanage presented the following report, which was read byM.'.W.'.Brother William J. Bundy, P.G.M., received, entered on the record, and referred to the Committee on Finance:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Board of Directors of Oxford Orphanage herewith submits its report to the Grand Lodge of North Carolina, which includes a detailed report of the Superintendent and the Departments of the Orphanage.

The Board of Directors held its regular meetings throughout the year and harmoniously administered all the affairs of the Orphanage. The Executive Committee and the Local Advisory Board in Oxford held their meetings and made full report to the Board of Directors.

We are pleased again to express our appreciation to the State of North Carolina for its support; and also, to thank the Duke Endowment Corporation for its approval and increased support.

We are truly grateful to the Masons of our jurisdiction for their tremendous love for our beloved old institution. Through the consecrated efforts of the officers, Orphanage committees and members, the lodges of North Carolina made a more generous expression of love in their contributions to the Orphanage so we were able to complete our year free from all debt. We wish to emphasize the analysis made by Duke Endowment Corporation which revealed the fact that our Orphanage operated at the most economical level of all similar institutions in the Carolinas. We highly praise our Administrative Officers for their dedication and efficiency.

We magnified our attention to the need for wholesome and adequate housing for our children. This evolved into a long range building program. We anticipate erecting twelve modern, fireproof, wholesome cottages which will replace nine antiquated buildings which have served for many years. We plan to erect these new cottages one at a time as soon as funds are available without incurring any debt. All of the existing buildings are adequately covered by insurance.

During the year our Orphanage was almost filled to capacity. We closed the year with an enrollment of 306 children. We have children from fifty-three counties, of which only six percent are from Masonic parent and thirty percent have Masonic relationship.

Again we urge each lodge to plan a pilgrimage to Oxford Orphanage to enable each Mason to share the spiritual joy in the glorious work we are accomplishing together in transforming children into productive men and women.

We recommend that the Grand Lodge appropriate the same amount for the support of the Orphanage for the year 1964.

Respectfully submitted,

Board of Directors of the Oxford Orphanage, Inc.

W. EDWARD BURRIER, *Grand Master and Chairman*
G. DUDLEY HUMPHREY
BEN CONE
JUDGE WILLIAM J. BUNDY
DR. CHARLES H. PUGH
MAURICE E. WALSH
ROBERT L. MARTIN
SAMUEL A. HENNIS, JR.
RALPH HOOD

(NOTE: Appropriation approved and budgeted under Item A-1. See Report of Committee on Finance, Docket No. 58 on Page 164, of these Proceedings.)

REPORT OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE APPOINTED BY THE GRAND MASTER TO STUDY THE DOCTRINE OF THE PERFECT YOUTH

(Docket No. 38)

The following report of the Special Committee appointed by the Grand Master to study the doctrine of the perfect youth was read by M.'.W.'.Brother William J. Bundy, P. G.M. and referred to the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence:

To The Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

Your Committee has given this matter diligent and thorough thought, study, and discussion, and has come to the unanimous conclusion that this Grand Lodge should modify its position as to physical fitness of candidates for the degrees.

We therefore recommend, to this end, that The Code be amended as set forth in the attached resolution:

WILLIAM J. BUNDY, P.G.M., *Chairman*
ROBERT L. PUGH, P.G.M.
CHARLES A. HARRIS, P.G.M., *Grand Secretary*
ARNOLD J. KOONCE, SR., *Junior Grand Warden*
MAURICE E. WALSH, *Grand Steward*

RESOLUTION TO AMEND CHAPTER 74 OF THE CODE

BE IT RESOLVED, That Chapter 74 of THE CODE be amended as follows:

That Regulation 74-01 (10); Regulation 74-02; Regulation 74-03; and Regulation 74-04 of THE CODE be repealed.

That a new Regulation be adopted to read as follows:

Reg. 74-02. "If a Petition for the Degrees is presented to a lodge by a petitioner who is physically defective for any reason, the petition shall be forwarded within five days to the Grand Master, and if he approves the same, the lodge may then receive the petition." (This Regulation effective April 22, 1964).

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That this amendment shall become effective upon its adoption and when it becomes effective all previous laws and enactments of the Grand Lodge, except the Constitution, which are in conflict therewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict. [111-01 (6)].

(NOTE: This Resolution adopted. See Report of the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence on Page 168, Docket No. 59, Item No. 7 of these Proceedings.)

PETITION FOR RESTORATION JAMES MONROE BELL, NONAFFILIATED

(Docket No. 39)

The Petition for Restoration of John Monroe Bell, formerly a member of Aulander Lodge No. 516, Aulander, North Carolina, was read and referred to the Committee on Appeals. (NOTE: This application approved. See Report of the Committee on Appeals on Page 143 under Docket No. 49 of these Proceedings for action taken thereon.)

PETITION FOR RESTORATION J. L. B., NONAFFILIATED

(Docket No. 40)

The Petition for Restoration of J.L.B., formerly a member of Kedron Lodge No. 387, Hendersonville, North Carolina, was read and referred to the Committee on Appeals. (Note: This application denied. See Report of the Committee on Appeals on Page 143 under Docket No. 49 of these Proceedings for action taken thereon.)

PETITION FOR RESTORATION ALVIN WADE RICE, NONAFFILIATED

(Docket No. 41)

The Petition for Restoration of Alvin Wade Rice, formerly a member of Black Mountain Lodge No. 663, Black Mountain, North Carolina, was read and referred to the Committee on Appeals. (NOTE: This application approved. See Report of the Committee on Appeals on Page 143 under Docket No. 49 of these Proceedings for action taken thereon.)

PETITION FOR RESTORATION NICK DeMAI, NONAFFILIATED

(Docket No. 42)

The Petition for Restoration of Nick DeMai, formerly a member of Corinthian Lodge No. 230, Rocky Mount, North Carolina, was read and referred to the Committee

on Appeals. (NOTE: This application approved. See Report of the Committee on Appeals on Page 144 under Docket No. 49 of these Proceedings for action taken thereon.)

PETITION FOR RESTORATION ROYCE WESLEY SUTPHIN

(Docket No. 43)

The Petition for Restoration of Royce Wesley Sutphin, formerly a member of Buffalo Lodge No. 172, Sanford, North Carolina, was read and referred to the Committee on Appeals. (NOTE: This application approved. See Report of the Committee on Appeals on Page 144 under Docket 49 of these Proceedings for action taken thereon.

REPORT OF THE JUDGE ADVOCATE

(Docket No. 44)

The Judge Advocate presented the following report which was read, received and entered on the record:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

I hereby submit my annual report of Judge Advocate;

Since the Annual Communication in Asheville in 1963 I have tried, handled and completed six cases. One case remains to be heard. There are several under investigation.

I have received full cooperation of the members of the Craft, Officers of the Lodges, Trial Commissions, Grand Lodge Officers. To each and all I extend my appreciation.

Respectfully submitted, April 21st, 1964

J. GILES HUDSON, P.G.M., *Judge Advocate*

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PROPOSED CHANGES FOR BURIAL SERVICES

(Docket No. 45)

The following report of the Committee on Proposed Changes for Burial Services was received, entered on the record and referred to the incoming Grand Master:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Committee on Burial Services concerning proposed changes in Code Amendment 90-03 and 90-13 beg to make the following report to the Grand Lodge of North Carolina.

A letter explaining the proposed changes was sent to each District Deputy Grand Master in North Carolina to ascertain the opinion of the various Districts. Fifty-three of the fifty-seven Districts responded. Fifty-one of the Districts were found to be opposed to any change, indicating their reasons as follows:

1. Many Masonic Lodges want and need a meeting before a funeral for both instruction and rehearsal.

2. The Profane should not be included in our Masonic Rites; it should be Masonic all of the way or not at all.

3. Either or both of the changes advocated could lower the solemnity and dignity of the said service.

4. Inasmuch as the Burial Service is one of the few opportunities in which Freemasonry makes a public appearance, every effort should be made to maintain the dignity and standard of the work.

The Committee therefore recommends that the suggested changes in Regulation 90-03 and 90-13 be not approved.

In making the survey of the District Deputies Grand Master throughout the State, the Committee received a very interesting suggestion from several to the effect that perhaps some of the difficulties confronted by the lodges in attracting attendance in the lodge room not only for the opening, but especially for the closing, might be obviated if the lodge when it has opened prior to the burial service should proceed with the necessary instructions concerning the service and then close the lodge before proceeding with the service. The secretary could keep the minutes of the meeting not only as they actually transpired during the Communication prior to the service, but he could also make a record of their actual participation in the burial service. This record could be included in the minutes of the next succeeding Communication of the lodge. It is believed by those who have suggested this that a problem which confronts many of the lodges in North Carolina would be relieved immeasurably if such a method as this, or a method similar to this, could be arranged. It is therefore recommended by your Committee that the incoming Grand Master appoint a committee to study this particular recommendation and to make a report at the next Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge.

Respectfully submitted,
EDWARD P. BLAIR, *Chairman*

CALLED FROM LABOR TO REFRESHMENT

The minutes were read and approved. Prayer was offered by W.·.Brother William A. Richard, Grand Chaplain, and the Grand Lodge was called from Labor to Refreshment until 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday, April 22, 1964, in Park Center, in the City of Charlotte.

SECOND DAY—MORNING SESSION

The Grand Lodge was called from Refreshment to Labor at 9:30 a.m., on Wednesday, April 22, 1964, in Park Center, 310 Kings Drive, Charlotte, North Carolina, by M.˙.W.˙. Brother William Edward Burrier, Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina. Prayer was offered by W.˙.Brother Troy Garren Robbins, Assistant Grand Chaplain. The minutes of the previous session were read for information.

PROGRAM—MEMORIAL SERVICE

W.˙.EDWARD PUGH BLAIR, P.D.D.G.M., *Chairman*

Assisted By

M.˙.W.˙.WATSON N. SHERROD, P.G.M.
M.˙.W.˙.CHARLES C. RICKER, P.G.M.
BRO. WILLIAM A. RICHARD, *Grand Chaplain*
W.˙.WILLIAM WATSON MIMS, *Jr., Grand Steward*
W.˙.MAURICE E. WALSH, *Grand Steward*
W.˙.WILLIAM A. HOOKS, C.L., *Grand Marshal*
W.˙.ROBERT N. BASS, JR., *Junior Grand Deacon*
W.˙.ALFRED A. KAFER, JR., *Senior Grand Deacon*

Organist: BROTHER JULIAN HELMS
Soloist: BROTHER KENNETH D. HEINBAUGH

MEMORIAL SERVICE

(Docket No. 46)

Solo: *"He That Keepeth Israel"*____________KENNETH D. HEINBAUGH

Selected Scripture For
Responsive Reading____________Led by W.˙.Brother E. P. BLAIR

Lord, let me know mine end, and the number of my days; that I may be certified how long I have to live.

For man walketh in a vain shadow, and disquieteth himself in vain; he heapeth up riches, and cannot tell who shall gather them.

And now, Lord, what is my hope? Truly, my hope is even in thee.

Lord, thou hast been our refuge, from one generation to another.

Before the mountains were brought forth, or ever the earth and the world were made, thou art God from everlasting, and world without end.

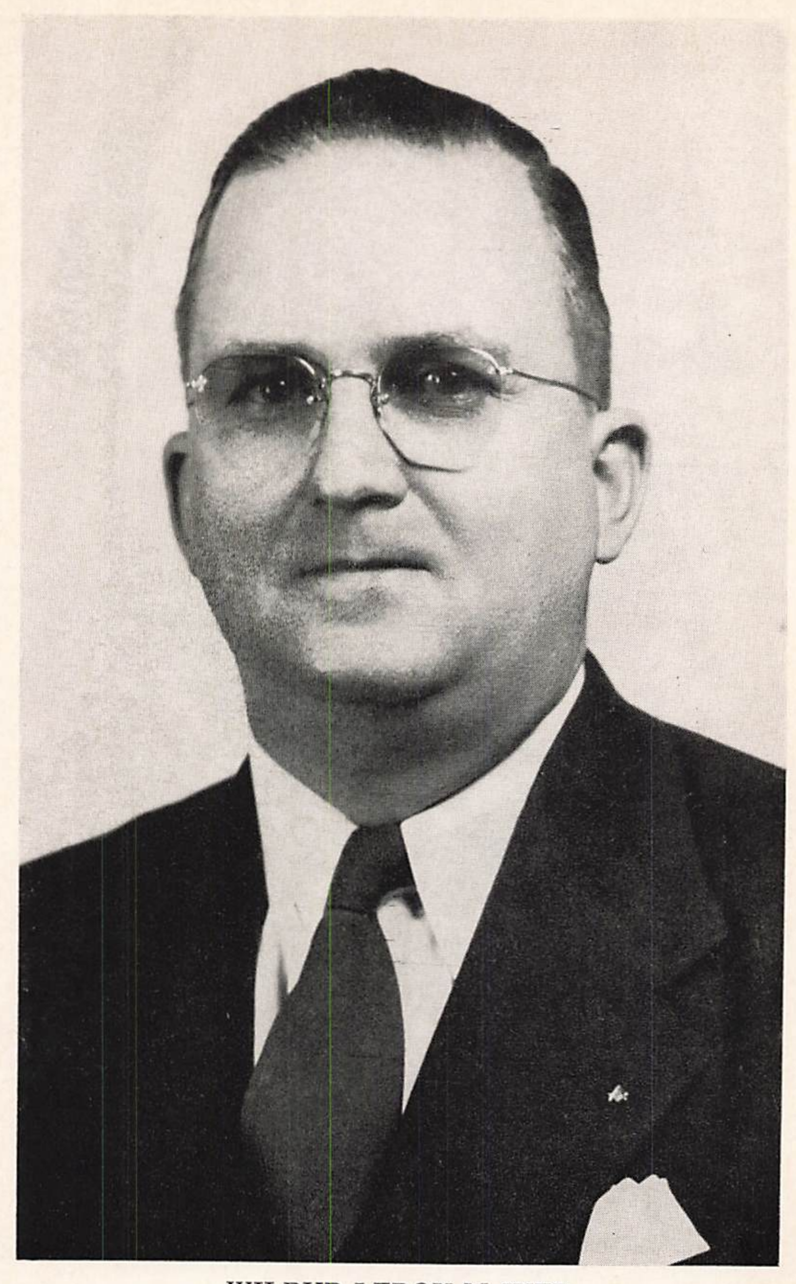
So teach us to number our days, that we may apply our hearts unto wisdom.

O satisfy us early with thy mercy; that we may rejoice and be glad all our days.

Let thy work appear unto thy servants, and thy glory unto their children.

The Lord is thy keeper: the Lord is thy shade upon thy right hand.





WILBUR LEROY McIVER
Sanford, North Carolina
Born: January 2, 1905—Died: April 22, 1963
Grand Secretary 1946-1958

The Lord will preserve thy going out and thy coming in, from this time forth, and even forevermore.

Fear thou not for I am with thee; be not dismayed for I am thy God; I will strengthen thee; yea, I will help thee; yea, I will uphold thee with the right hand of my righteousness.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON NECROLOGY

(Docket No. 47)

The following report of the Committee on Necrology was delivered by W.·.Brother Edward P. Blair, P.M., and entered on the record:

We pause again, My Brethren, before this Sacred Altar in grateful consideration of 1142 Master Masons who have already answered the final summons of the Supreme Architect of the Universe—a summons, My Brethren, that each one of us some day must answer for ourselves, each in our way. We gather here in humble submission and offer these Eulogies to those whom we knew and loved; and we speak of "that far off Divine Event to which the whole creation moves." For many of them its was a welcome call from labor to Refreshment and they are now serving in that "all perfect Celestial Lodge above where the Supreme Architect of the Universe presides."

Two of our number served us as members of the Grand Lodge itself and served with distinction. From these positions their influence extended into every Lodge in our State.

It is both fitting and proper that I now call upon those who knew them best and who worked closely with them to offer the Eulogies to these two Distinguished Masons.

I now present M.·.W.·.Watson Sherrod, P.G.M. who will offer the Eulogy to R.·.W.·. Wilbur McIver, Past Grand Secretary.

(Note: M.·.W.·.Brother Watson N. Sherrod, P.G.M., presented eulogy to R.·.W.·.Wilbur LeRoy McIver, P.G.S.)

WILBUR LeROY McIVER

On January 2nd, 1905, the New Year brought great joy to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee G. McIver. For on January 2nd, 1905, Wilbur LeRoy McIver was born in the city of Sanford, Lee County, North Carolina.

Brother McIver, "Mac" as he was fondly known by his brethren and associates, received his primary education in the Sanford Graded and High School. From the High School "Mac" was further prepared at Buies Creek Academy and on to Wake Forest College where he was an honor student. Although not an athlete he was Manager of the Freshman Baseball team in 1925 and of the Varsity Baseball team in 1926. After completing his college education Brother McIver returned to his home town of Sanford where he entered into the retail furniture business in a sales and executive capacity, from 1926 to 1938. Leaving the furniture business in 1938 he formed the McIver Insurance Agency which he managed until 1946 when he moved to Raleigh and accepted the office of Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina, which office he held until he resigned on November 1, 1958 owing to his health. After recuperating

"Mac" accepted a position as Special Representative of the Occidental Life Insurance Company until his death April 22nd, 1963.

-- During his tenure of office he served as Director and Secretary-Treasurer of the North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Inc. 1946-63.

Wilbur LeRoy McIver was initiated January 25th, 1927; passed February 22nd and raised March 15th, 1927, in Sanford Lodge No. 151, of which he was a member. He served as Secretary of Sanford Lodge No. 151 from 1935 to 1945. He served as District Deputy Grand Master of the Old 13th District for the years of 1939-1945 inclusive; the President of the District Deputies Association in 1943. Brother McIver served his Lodge as Master in 1943.

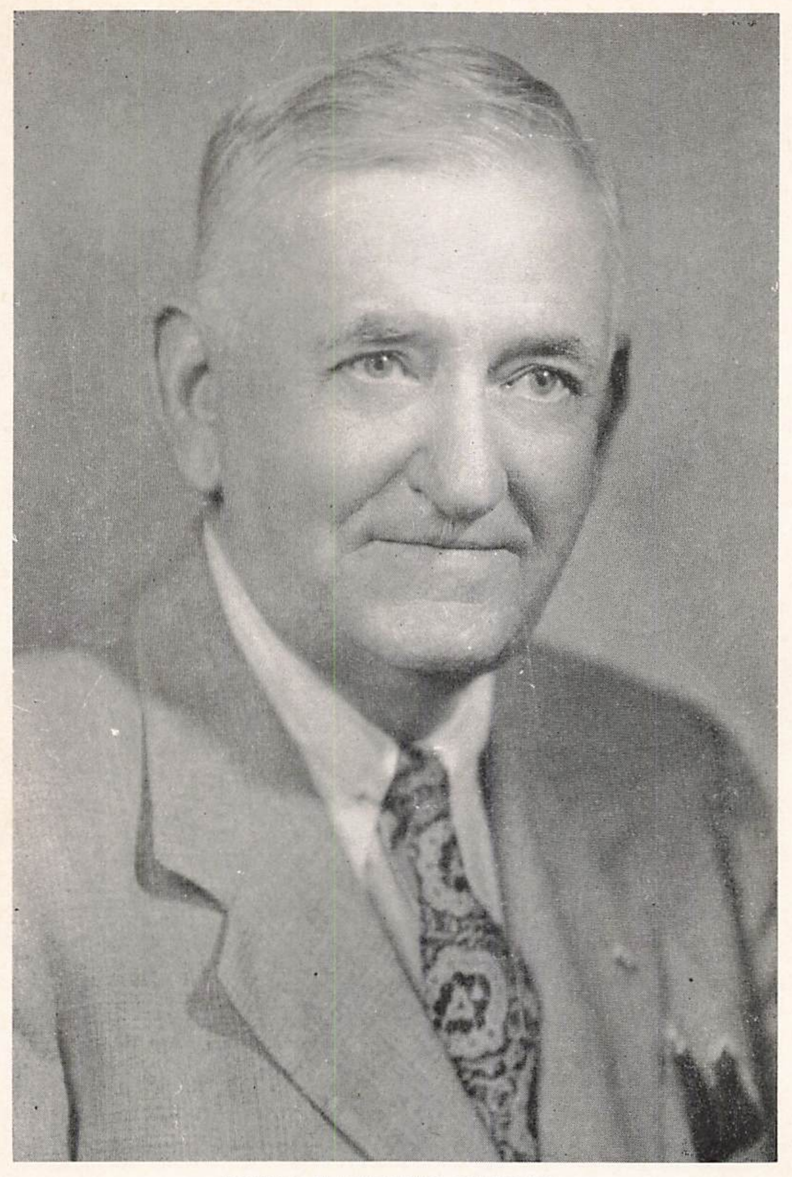
After the retirement of Grand Secretary John H. Anderson in 1944, Past Grand Master Charles B. Newcomb, who had been appointed Acting Grand Secretary by Grand Master Julius C. Hobbs, requested Brother McIver to come to Raleigh and take the management of the Grand Secretary's Office. "Mac" was elected Grand Secretary in 1946 and from the date of his election he put his life in his work, until his health forced him to resign November 1st, 1958. He traveled each year over the entire State with the Grand Master, holding schools of instruction at each District Meeting. He was beloved by the thousands of his brethren whom he contacted in his extensive travels. His work in the Grand Secretary's Office was his life, and he was a perfectionist and could not realize that anyone else could do anything as well as he could. He was a most lovable character and as such, he was loved by all who knew him. He was honored by being elected Honorary Member of many of the Lodges in North Carolina, and made a member at Large of the Conference of Grand Secretaries in North America.

Brother McIver was a member of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry in the Valley of Wilmington and was invested with the rank and decoration of Knight Commander of the Court of Honour by the Supreme Council. He was also a member of the following York Rite Bodies in Raleigh: Raleigh Chapter No. 10 Royal Arch Masons; Enoch Council No. 5, Royal and Select Masters; and Raleigh Commandery No. 4 Knights Templar. He was a member of Sudan Temple, Ancient Arabic Order Nobles of Mystic Shrine of New Bern. He held Honorary Membership in many foreign jurisdictions.

Brother McIver was married to Nell Lee of Johnston County, June 6th, 1933. To this happy union was born a son Wilbur L. McIver, Jr. He is survived by his wife, son, a granddaughter, and his mother, Mrs. Florence Rogers McIver of Sanford, North Carolina.

Wilbur was a staunch Baptist, being a member of Hayes Barton Baptist Church. He created a library in the First Baptist Church of Sanford and served as a Deacon for several years. He served as librarian in Hayes Barton Baptist Church for many years. He was faithful in his attendance to his duties in his religious life, ever present at church services and other functional duties.

On Monday morning, April 22nd, 1963, in the course of his work as special representative of the Occidental Life Insurance Company he ran off the road and was instantly killed. The entire Masonic membership of North Carolina was shocked. One of the best known and most outstanding Masons was gone. On Wednesday, April 24th at



JOHN CATLETT VANCE
Asheville, North Carolina
Born: November 8, 1883—Died: December 18, 1963

three o'clock in the First Baptist Church in Sanford, a host of friends and brethren paid their last sad tribute to our brother.

To the members of his family and his loved ones, we extend our deepest sympathy and this Grand Lodge weeps today along with the other Masonic Bodies in the loss of an outstanding leader. Masonry has lost one of its most ardent, fervent friends and benefactors in the passing of Wilbur LeRoy McIver. A tall Oak in the mighty forest has fallen, but his unselfish contribution of his life remains as an eternal monument.

I now present M.'.W.'.Charles Carpenter Ricker, P.G.M. who will offer the Eulogy to M.'.W.'.John Catlett Vance, P.G.M.

(Note: M.'.W.'.Brother Charles C. Ricker, P.G.M., presented eulogy to M.'.W.'.John C. Vance, P.G.M.)

JOHN CATLETT VANCE

JOHN CATLETT VANCE was a man and he spoke softly. He was a loving Brother of a devoted sister. He was a loving uncle of a devoted niece and grandniece. He was an outstanding public-spirited citizen of his community, a public servant, a county commissioner. He was a neighbor and a friend and he spoke softly. He loved his family, his community, his mountains. He loved his church and this Fraternity. He loved his friends, his Blue Lodge, his York Rite, his Scottish Rite, his Shrine and this Grand Lodge, and to each he always spoke softly.

He respected his colleague's opinions contrary to his own. He knew not false pride, professional jealousy, only humility. He knew not the corrosion of bigotry or intolerance. He knew only dedication, loyalty, devotion, and he spoke softly.

He was a leader always ready to assume responsibility, to give of his time and substance, to take a stand based on his own high sense of conviction, of logic, of justice, and he spoke softly. He was a leader quick to give praise, slow to anger, slow to admonishing a faltering Brother or errant friend, careful to demand no more of others than he himself was prepared to give. He was a leader, and he spoke softly.

Above all that he did, all that he was, above all that he wanted to do or be, he was a gentleman and indeed a Mason, both in word and action, and he spoke softly.

Some may think the gentle voice is still, but I think it speaks if we but listen, and it speaks softly. It speaks to those who were privileged to sit in the classes taking the various degrees in Masonry, in his committee meetings, in his civic clubs, in his officers' meetings and in his church. Yes, the Spirit speaks and, as always, it speaks softly. It urges the family that life continues, that the same courage and the same dedication to the high call of service to man and dedication to God contains the answer to life's enigmas, and it speaks softly.

It urges the members of this Grand Lodge to continue striving for that same excellence, high excellence, which he set as the goal for himself and our beloved Craft, and it speaks softly.

It urges that each lodge in this Grand Jurisdiction and its officers to press forward; to grow in service and dedication to the high call of their profession as Masons; to keep the faith that the primary

cause of the Fraternity's existence, of every man's existence, is the pursuit of truth, and it speaks softly.

No, the gentle voice is not still. It has only joined with those of other distinguished Masonic leaders such as Foy, Hartsell, Hobbs, Payne, Ebbs, Timberlake, Anderson, Poteat. Yes, even with Garfield, McKinley, Jackson and Washington. With them it now speaks, to them it speaks, of this Grand Lodge, of the brethren here assembled, of you and me. They speak to all of us, and they speak softly. Yes, John Catlett Vance was a man, a Mason, a man of courage, a man of faith, a man of kindness and humility, and he spoke softly.

(Conclusion, Necrology Report by W∴Bro. Edward P. Blair, P.M.)

My Brethren, these men along with 1140 other Master Masons throughout our Great State laid no special claim to Perfection. Perfection to each one of them was a virtue towards which all men strive. They would want us to acclaim them as they were. They preferred only to serve as almoners of God's grace in the quarries of our glorious Movement. Let us thank God for each of those men, who would dare to estimate the countless thousands beyond their own loved ones whose hearts were strangely warmed by their presence? Who would dare to estimate the thousands that were moved and enhanced by the smiles and words that fell from their lips? Who would dare to estimate the thousands who through the priceless jewels of their fellowship came a bit closer to God and a better way of Life?

This is not a time of mourning, my Friends, but it is a time for us to pause and reflect; a time for us to see that surely there must be another chapter in the Book of Human Existence; a time for us to see that the designs placed upon the trestleboard of Life by these our fallen Brothers placed there for a real purpose. Through their efforts, their thoughts, their great contributions; we are to carry on; or else, we would be negligent in our duties and our responsibilities to them.

We must see that their work was not in vain, the things that they stood for did not end with their passing. It was their wish, their desire and their final commission to us, to carry their torch into the dawn of another Sunrise and the glory of a New Day. It is unbelievable to think of the Human Spirit as going down to its final oblivion, or its richest capacities crushed and its finest aspirations unrealized. We must surely know that if God would guide through the boundless sky the path of a migrating bird on its unerring flight from the North to the South and back again, that he would not place man on this Earth, longing for Immortality, only to mislead and to misguide him. I have yet to witness a seagull dashed to Earth by the forces of wind and storm. Somehow they are able to so set their wings as to ride up and over the storms. I believe, My Brethren, we were so created by the Supreme Architect of the Universe that we too can so set the wings of our Soul to enable us to ride up and over the storms and tragedies that beset us.

This Belief and This Faith was recently given to us again when on Easter morning the Galliliean, Jesus of Nazareth, emerged from the tomb as our Companion and Guide to remind us of this great faith, which is the Basis of our Religion.

Yes, I believe, My Friends, that these our Fallen Brothers were building their bridges for us. They knew, we too, would pass this way.

The Beliefs of the Master were not buried with him in his tomb; they were passed on to his followers and down through the avenues of Life to our forefathers and then on to us. There is a job yet to do. We must not fail them. They simply gave us Their Torch to carry on. Our own great Movement has suffered reversals, at times it has been driven underground; but let us thank God that our leaders were driven by a great faith to continue meeting in dingy attics and murky cellars to keep alive the Torch of Freedom and Love.

Let us thank God for the poet who penned the lines—

"I long for household voices gone,
For vanished smiles I long,
But God hath led my dear ones on,
And He can do no wrong.
I know not what the future hath
Of marvel or surprise,
Assured alone that life and death
His mercy underlies.
I know not where His islands lift
Their fronded palms in air;
I only know I cannot drift
Beyond His love and care."

There is a Commission here for us, My Brethren. We must carry on, there is no other way. Our Movement like our Religion is a Lay-Movement so conceived and so dedicated, it depends upon us.

The writer of Deuteronomy once wrote these tragic but meaningful lines. "We have compassed this Mountain long enough. Let us rise up, let us rise up and commence our journey anew—."

MEMORIAL PRAYER

A memorial prayer was offered by W.˙.Brother Troy G. Robbins, Assistant Grand Chaplain.

RESOLUTION TO AMEND REGULATIONS 60-05 AND 83-01 OF THE CODE

(Docket No. 48)

The following Resolution to amend Regulations 60-05 and 83-01 of THE CODE was read by M.˙.W.˙.Brother James W. Brewer, P.G.M., Grand Treasurer and referred to the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

BE IT RESOLVED that the aforementioned Regulations be amended by adding sub-divisions to each, reading as follows:

"A member of a lodge in another Grand Jurisdiction which permits dual membership may apply for affiliation to and become a member of a lodge in North Carolina while still retaining membership in the lodge in this other Grand Jurisdiction."

(NOTE: Referred to incoming Grand Master. See report of Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence, Docket No. 59, Item No. 9 on Page 169, these Proceedings.)

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON APPEALS

(Docket No. 49)

The Committee on Appeals presented the following report, which was read by M.'.W.'.Brother William J. Bundy, P.G.M., Chairman, and upon motion, duly seconded, was adopted by sections and then adopted as a whole:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Committee on Appeals respectfully submits the following report:

1. We have reviewed the record in all cases which have been completed since the Annual Communication in 1963, and now pending before the Committee, wherein the accused has been expelled by order of the Judge Advocate under the provisions of Regulation 99-22. We particularly directed our attention to the strict compliance with the Regulation, and in each of the following cases we recommend that the decision of the Judge Advocate be affirmed by the Grand Lodge:

TRIAL DOCKET NO. 197: In the Matter of Charges Preferred against a Master Mason of Fort Bragg No. 667, A.F. & A.M.

Expelled February 2, 1963.

TRIAL DOCKET NO. 202: In the matter of charges preferred against a Master Mason of Excelsior Lodge No. 261, A.F. & A.M.

Expelled September 6, 1963.

TRIAL DOCKET NO. 203: In the matter of charges preferred against a Master Mason of Berne Lodge No. 724, A.F. & A.M.

Expelled November 2, 1963.

TRIAL DOCKET NO. 204: In the matter of charges preferred against a Master Mason of Holland Memorial Lodge No. 668, A. F. & A.M.

Expelled November 2, 1963.

2. We have reviewed the record in all cases which have been completed since the Annual Communication of 1963, and now pending before this Committee, in all of which the punishment was expulsion, tried before a Trial Commission. We directed our attention to the validity of the appointment of the Trial Commissioners, the service of notice upon the accused, the competency and weight of the evidence presented at the trial, and the decision of the Trial Commission, all in accordance with the Regulations of the Grand Lodge as contained in Chapters 98 to 106 inclusive of THE CODE of 1948 as amended. Your Committee approves the decision of the Trial Commissions in the following cases, and reccommends that the decision and judgment of the Trial Commission in each case be affirmed by the Grand Lodge.

TRIAL DOCKET NO. 195: In the matter of charges preferred against a Master Mason of Belmont Lodge No. 627, A.F. & A.M.

Expelled October 23, 1962.

TRIAL DOCKET NO. 199: In the matter of charges preferred against a Master Mason of Mount Holly Lodge No. 544, A.F. & A.M.

Expelled April 12, 1963.

TRIAL DOCKET NO. 201: In the matter of charges preferred against a Master Mason of Excelsior Lodge No. 261, A.F. A.M.

Expelled June 21, 1963.

3. There were no appeals.

APPLICATIONS FOR RESTORATION

1. In the matter of the Application for Restoration of John Monroe Bell to Masonic Rights and Privileges. The application was filed with the Grand Secretary more than thirty days before this Annual Communication. This applicant was dismembered January 28, 1953. (Trial Docket No. 45). A true copy of application with statement of grounds upon which the applicant seeks restoration was served on Aulander Lodge No. 516, A.F. & A.M., in accordance with Chapter 109 of THE CODE as amended, on January 15, 1964, more than ninety days before this Annual Communication. Said lodge does not oppose restoration, the matter having been voted on in the lodge when application was read to the lodge.

The Application for Restoration was read before the lodge, and there was no opposition to his restoration.

This Committee recommends that the Grand Lodge restore John Monroe Bell to all the Rights and Privileges of a nonaffiliated Mason.

2. In the matter of the Application for restoration of J.L.B. to Masonic Rights and Privileges. The application was filed with the Grand Secretary more than thirty days before this Annual Communication. This applicant was dismembered July 30, 1960 (Trial Docket No. 161). A true copy of the application with statement of the grounds upon which the applicant seeks restoration was served on Kedron Lodge No. 387, A.F. & A.M. on August 8, 1963, in accordance with Chapter 109 of THE CODE of 1948, as amended, more than ninety days before this Annual Communication. Twelve officers and brethren of Kedron Lodge No. 387 have signed a strong recommendation that he be restored to the rights and privileges of Masonry, but none since his first application in 1959.

After carefully examining the record in this matter, this Committee is of the opinion that the seriousness of the charges for which the applicant was dismembered are such that he is not entitled to restoration at this time. For this reason, this Committee recommends that the Grand Lodge deny such Application for Restoration.

3. In the matter of the Application of Alvin Wade Rice for Restoration to Masonic ights and Privileges. The application was filed with the Grand Secretary more than thirty days before this Annual Communication. This applicant was dismembered November 17, 1959 (TRIAL DOCKET NO. 155). A true copy of the application with statement of the grounds upon which the applicant seeks restoration was served on Black Mountain Lodge No. 663, A.F. & A.M. on December 26, 1963, in accordance with Chapter 109 of THE CODE of 1948, as amended, more than ninety days before this Annual Communication. At a stated communication of this lodge, when the application was read, the lodge unanimously recommended that the application be given favorable consideration.

After carefully examining the records in this matter, this Committee recommends that the Grand Lodge restore Alvin Wade Rice to all the Rights and Privileges of a nonaffiliated Mason.

4. In the matter of the Application for Restoration of Nick DeMai, Sr., to Masonic Rights and Privileges. The application was filed with the Grand Secretary more than thirty days before this Annual Communication. This applicant was dismembered on November 10, 1947 (in Corinthian Lodge No. 230.) A true copy of the application with statement of the grounds upon which the applicant seeks restoration was served on Corinthian Lodge No. 230, A.F. & A.M., on January 6, 1964, in accordance with Chapter 109 of THE CODE of 1948, as amended, more than ninety days before this annual communication. The lodge of which the applicant was formerly a member has taken no action for or against the application, nor have any individual members thereof. However, three very prominent citizens of Dunn, North Carolina, where he now resides, have strongly recommended that he be restored to the rights and privileges of Masonry.

After carefully examining the records in this matter, this Committee recommends that the Grand Lodge restore Nick DeMai, Sr., to all the Rights and Privileges of a nonaffiliated Mason.

5. In the Matter of the Application of Royce Wesley Sutphin to Masonic Rights and Privileges. The application was filed with the Grand Secretary more than thirty days before this Annual Communication. This applicant was dismembered on March 10, 1962. (Trial Docket No. 184.) A true copy of the application with statement of the grounds upon which the applicant seeks restoration was served on Buffaloe Lodge No. 172, A.F. & A.M., in accordance with THE CODE of 1948, as amended, more than ninety days before this Annual Communication. A number of prominent Masons of Buffaloe Lodge No. 172 and of Sanford Lodge No. 151 strongly recommends his restoration and give testimony to his good character and reputation and rehabilitation.

After carefully examining the records in this matter, this Committee recommends that the Grand Lodge restore Royce Wesley Sutphin to all the Rights and Privileges of a nonaffiliated Mason.

Respectfully submitted,
WILLIAM J. BUNDY, P.G.M., Chm.
NORWOOD P. PARKER, P.M.
CLARENCE B. SHULENBERGER, P.M.
CARL W. POTEAT, P.M.
THOMAS G. SLATE, P.M.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF CUSTODIANS

(Docket No. 50)

The following report of the Board of Custodians was read by M.'.W.'.Brother Charles B. Newcomb, P.G.M., entered on the record and the resolution, recommendations and orders proposed in that report were adopted.

To The Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Board held four meetings since the last annual communication of the Grand Lodge June 21 and August 16, 1963; February 29 and April 19, 1964.

FIRST MEETING

1. On June 21, 1963, the Board met at the Masonic Temple, 329 South Tryon Street, Charlotte, M.'.W.'.W. Edward Burrier, *Grand Master, Chairman ex-officio,* presided. All members were present except W.'.George Bland Church, *P.M., C.L.*

2. The Board organized as required under Regulation 35-02, and M.'.W.'.James G. Johnston, P.G.M., C.L., was elected Chairman, and M.'.W.'.Chas. B. Newcomb, P.G.M., P.G.S., was re-elected Secretary.

3. M.'.W.'.Charles C. Ricker, *P.G.M.* (No. 118) Asheville, North Carolina was appointed a member of the Board for three years by the Grand Master, to fill the vacancy created by the expiration of the term of office of W.'.Nathan P. Strause, *P.M., C.L.* (No. 229) which expired 1963.

FEES FOR LECTURE SERVICE

*4. No change was made in the present allowance for fees for the Lecture Service to Lodges. We recommend that no change be made at this time in the allowance for fees for this service.

*This recommendation was adopted by the Grand Lodge.

RULES GOVERNING THE LECTURE SERVICE

5. The Rules Governing the Lecture Service may be found in the Appendix of THE CODE, also in these Proceedings at Pages 270-273, inclusive. The last issue of the rules is dated June 14, 1957.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS FOR A SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION

6. The schedule of minimum requirements for an Area or a District School of Instruction previously adopted June 8, 1956, and revised June 10, 1961, was reconsidered and further revised on September 9, 1961, to specifically provide for holding these schools on a one-day or on a two-day schedule within fourteen consecutive days. This revision of September 9, 1961, repeals all schedules heretofore promulgated and they may be found in these Proceedings at Pages 274-275.

DUTIES OF A DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND LECTURER

7. The duties prescribed for a District Deputy Grand Lecturer will be found in Regulation 35-08(2B) of THE CODE, as adopted April 17. They have not been amended since that date.

THE RULES GOVERNING THE OFFICIAL STANDARD OF THE WORK AND THE VOCABULARY

8. On June 8, 1962, this Board adopted and promulgated certain amendments to the Rules Governing the Official Standard of the Work and the Vocabulary which Rules were originally adopted in April, 1948. These amendments became effective on June 8, 1962, and will be found in full on Pages 276-278 of these Proceedings. These amendments provide for a wider distribution of the Official Standard

of the Work by permitting a lodge to have the use of not more than five copies in addition to the seven copies it may have now.

9. The Secretary reported that plans are being made for examinations for proficiency during September, 1963, and there are 97 Class "A" and 3 Class "B" due for re-examination. The Board authorized the application of Regulation 35-07(4) to those cases coming under its provisions, for failure to appear when called for re-examination.

SECOND MEETING

1. On August 16, 1963, the Board met in the Masonic Temple, Charlotte, N.C. M.'.W.'.James G. Johnston, *P.G.M.*, *C.L.*, *Chairman*, presided.

2. All members were present except M.'.W.'.W. Edward Burrier, *Grand Master*. Visitor present: W.'.Louis W. Shrier, *P.M.*, *P.D.D.G.M.*

3. The Grand Lecturer reported that the programs for Schools of Instruction, for Lecture Service and for the Lodge System of Masonic Education were being urged as vigorously as possible to get the desired results.

CERTIFICATES EXPIRED

4. The Board adopted the following resolution:

*BE IT RESOLVED, That the Twenty-eight brethren whose names follow shall be dropped from the Roster of Certified Members unless they are re-examined by or before September 20, 1963, since their certificates have expired or will expire by that date:

Name	County	Area
Harry Cecil Bagley	Cherokee	V
Carl Lee Basinger	Rowan	IV
Walter Harold Bridges	Cumberland	II
Walter Jeffries Church	Buncombe	V
Grady Elgin Cole, Jr.	Mecklenburg	IV
James Ronald Crisp	Graham	V
Raymond Edgar Eller	Warren	III
George Crary Faville, Jr.	Out of State	—
Kolen Flack	Guilford	III
Elbert Ellsworth Foster	Mecklenburg	IV
L. D. Graham	Guilford	III
William Henry Marlette, Jr.	Guilford	III
Dwight Junior May	Guilford	III
Everett Warren McNeilly	Cleveland	IV
Clyde Ray Mills	Wake	III
Theodore Blake Perritt	Craven	I
Henry Hollen Plummer	Mecklenburg	IV
Lacy Cleveland Price	Rutherford	V
Leary Norvell Scott	Forsyth	III
Harold Anderson Terrell	Guilford	III
Leonard Merivale Thorne	Pitt	I
Henry Fidell Truett	Cherokee	V
Francis Pope White, Jr.	Mecklenburg	IV
Duke LeGrande Whittaker	Davie	IV
Harold Cope Young	Davie	IV

CLASS "B"

Robert Ennis Dorsey	Out of State	—
William Alpheus Jones	Wayne	II
Charles Hayden Pender	Wayne	II

These Twenty-eight brethren did not report for, or pass the re-examination after due notice, and their certificate having expired they were dropped from the Roster of Certified Members as of September 20, 1963.

*This resolution was adopted by the Grand Lodge.

THIRD MEETING

1. On February 29, 1964, a meeting of the Board was held in the Masonic Temple, Charlotte. M.'.W.'.James G. Johnston, *P.G.M.*, *C.L.*, *Chairman*, presided. All members were present except M.'.W.'.Charles C. Ricker, *P.G.M.* Visitors present: R.'.W.'.G. Dudley Humphrey, *D.G.M.*, *C.L.* and W.'.Louis W. Shrier, *P.M.*, *P.D.D.G.M*

2. The Board decided to continue the Area Plan for Proficiency Examinations for 1964.

3. The Secretary reported that in 1964 there will be due for re-examination 73 Certified Lecturers and no Certified Instructors.

4. Herewith is an analysis of Certified Lecturers and Instructors from the beginning of the program on April 15, 1940 through September 30, 1963. Any service as Certified Instructor (Class "B") is included to show continuous service in "A" and "B" Classes.

CERTIFIED LECTURERS AND INSTRUCTORS

(1940 to 1963: 23 years) Continuous Service

	Class			Class			Class			Class	
Years	A	B	Years	A	B	Years	A	B	Years	A	B
0	22	5	6	44	0	12	8	0	18	12	0
1	26	1	7	25	0	13	32	0	19	4	0
2	35	0	8	25	0	14	21	0	20	3	0
3	29	1	9	31	1	15	13	0	21	8	0
4	38	4	10	29	0	16	10	0	22	3	0
5	26	0	11	22	0	17	4	0	23	2	0
									25	1	0

5. The Board decided not to exemplify the Three Degrees at the annual communication of the Grand Lodge in 1964, at Charlotte.

6. The Secretary reported on the Proficiency Examinations held in September (16, 17, 18, 19, 20), 1963, as follows:

Area	Examined		Passed		Re-Exam			New		Total	Failed		Did not report	
	A	B	A	B	A	B	B-to-A	A	B	A&B	A	B	Apps.	Examiners
I	12	1	12	1	11	0	0	1	1	13	0	0	0	1
II	22	6	22	5	14	0	2	7	4	27	0	1	2	8
III	20	0	20	0	14	0	2	4	0	20	0	0	3	5
IV	27	0	27	0	21	0	0	6	0	27	0	0	6	9
V	8	0	7	0	3	0	0	4	0	7	1	0	1	6
Total	89	7	88	6	63	0	4	22	5	94	1	1	12	29

7. The Grand Lecturer reported that 156 lodges would need Lecture Service during 1964.

8. The Certificates for brethren who passed the proficiency examination last September (1963) were mailed on October 18. 1963.

9. Twenty-one Certificates entitled *"Laudamus"* for those who were entitled to them by virtue of continuous proficiency for fifteen or more consecutive years, were mailed on February 12, 1964.

A roster of the holders of the *"Laudamus"* certificates will be found on Page 242 of these Proceedings.

10. The Grand Lecturer reported that as of this date 49 Districts had had 2 or more schools of instruction, 7 have held one school and 1 District failed to report.

NUMBER OF CERTIFIED MEMBERS

11. The Secretary reported the number on the Roster of Certified Lecturers and Certified Instructors as follows as of October 1, 1963:

Class	Number Oct. 1, 1962	Number Oct. 1, 1963	Change	
A	480	*475	L	5
B	14	12	L	2
B	—	—	-	-
TOTALS	494	487	L	7

* Brother C. L. Riggs, C.L. was not listed in roster by mistake; therefore, we add one to this figure.

Seven Certified Lecturers have departed this life since our last report; the years shown represent total years of service.

W.·.William Henry Biggerstaff, P.M., C.L. (381), died September 6, 1963, 3 years.

Melvin Huke Coston, C.L. (8), died October 16, 1963, 7 years.

W.·.John Nick Greishamer, P.M., C.L. (665), died June 14, 1963, 13 years.

** W.·.Cedric Ogle Mewborn, P.M., C.L. (233), died February 23, 1962, 6 years.

Robert Theron Stover, C.L. (679), died May 29, 1963, 7 years.

Joseph Wesley Wright, C.L. (694), died February 22, 1963, 6 years.

**W.·.James Thomas Carr Wright, P.M., C.L. (363), died July 14, 1963, 21 years.

** Reported late.

We sincerely regret to report the death of these faithful brethren who were experienced Lecturers and earnest supporters of our program, and we record our appreciation for their devotion to Masonry and their willingness to serve when called.

A complete roster of each class and other data will be found on Pages 243-269 of these Proceedings.

RESOLUTION TO AMEND REGULATION 35-08 (B-4) OF THE CODE

12. A resolution to amend THE CODE at Regulation 35-08 (B-4) is proposed by the Board of Custodians, and the text will be found in these Proceedings under Docket Number 57 at Page 161.

13. W.·.Nathaniel C. Dean, *P.M., C.L., Grand Lecturer,* W.·.Walter Herman Hardee, *P.M., C.L.* and W.·.W. Howard Hardy, *P.M., C.L.*

were named a special committee to examine the Official Standard of the Work (all of it) to recommend any desired changes and report to a later meeting.

FOURTH MEETING

1. On April 19, 1964, the Board met in the Queen Charlotte Hotel, Charlotte, N. C. All members were present except M.'.W.'.W. Edward Burrier, *Grand Master, Chairman ex-officio* and W.'.G. Bland Church, *P.M., C.L.* Visitors present: R.'.W.'.G. Dudley Humphrey, *D.G.M., C.L.*, W.'.Edgar Floyd Dunn, *P.M., C.L., D.D.G.M.* and W.'.Louis W. Shrier, *P.M., P.D.D.G.M.* M.'.W.'.James G. Johnston, *P.G.M., C.L., Chairman*, presided.

MASONIC EDUCATION

2. Our Grand Lecturer reports that there is increasing interest in the Lodge System of Masonic Education; 355 lodges are using it. The remaining 13 lodges, 5 of which failed to report, are now using this system; therefore, we recommend that the Grand Lodge continue this educational effort; and, for the purpose of carrying out this recommendation, we present the following resolution and recommend that it be adopted:

*BE IT RESOLVED, That the Lodge System of Masonic Education, approved by the Grand Lodge in 1935 (Pro. 1935, Pages 32 and 86, and again in 1949, Pro. 1949, Page 197), be continued and that each lodge be requested to put that plan in operation promptly.

*This resolution was adopted by the Grand Lodge. We do not recommend at this time that this program be made mandatory.

LODGES LECTURED IN 1963

3. The record furnished by the office of our Grand Secretary indicates that 173 lodges were lectured for which the Grand Lodge allowed compensation. Twelve Lodges were excused during 1963, making a total of 185 cleared during 1963 as having complied with Regulation 35-09. We report that 117 Certified Lecturers took part in lecturing lodges during 1963.

Fees paid by the Grand Lodge for Lecture Service amounted to $7,050.00, the amount paid by lodges for Lecture Service amounted to $240.00, a total of fees paid amounted to $7,290.00. In addition to this sum, the several lodges paid the expense of the Lecturers and this amounted to $1,005.00, making a total of fees and expense of $8,295.82.

MISCELLANEOUS

4. Since our last report one lodge, Richard Caswell Lodge No. 705, Kinston, North Carolina, has applied for permission to use robes in conferring degrees; the application was approved on August 16, 1963.

LODGES EXCUSED FROM THE LECTURE SERVICE

5. The application from each of the following lodges to be excused from Lecture Service, having properly been investigated, as required in Regulation 35-09, were each approved.

LODGE NO. NAME	EXPIRES
109—Franklin	December 13, 1964
123—Franklinton	December 20, 1964
257—Kenly	November 22, 1964
282—Wake Forest	October 24, 1964
322—Granite	September 23, 1964
352—Durham	November 12, 1964
446—Biltmore	May 22, 1964
459—Dillsboro	June 14, 1964
676—Temple	September 12, 1964
697—Butner	September 30, 1964
700—Friendship*	December 7, 1963
715—Derita	May 31, 1964
725—Grantham	August 15, 1964

* This application was lost in the mail, and a duplicate was approved December 7, 1962 to expire December 7, 1963.

LECTURE SERVICE

6. We urge our Certified Lecturers to read and observe carefully the amended Rules for the Government of the Lecture Service as found in the Appendix to THE CODE and also printed in these Proceedings of the Grand Lodge at Pages .

COMPENSATION FOR LECTURE SERVICE

7. We recommend the adoption of the following resolution authorizing the reimbursement to the subordinate lodges for compensation for Lecture Service paid out by them:

*BE IT RESOLVED, That the Grand Lodge continue to reimburse subordinate lodges for the compensation for Lecture Service paid out by them (but not including the expenses of the Lecturers), on such basis of compensation as may be determined by the Board of Custodians under the provisions of Regulation 35-08 (3), and 20-05 (5).

*This resolution was adopted by the Grand Lodge.

NOMINATION OF GRAND LECTURER

8. As provided in Regulations 20-05 (2) and 35-06 (1), the Board of Custodians unanimously nominated W.'.Edgar Floyd Dunn, *P.M.*, *C.L.*, *D.D.G.M.*, a member of Roman Eagle Lodge No. 550, Aberdeen, North Carolina, as Grand Lecturer to succeed W.'.Nathaniel C. Dean, *P.M.*, *P.D.D.G.L.*, *C.L.*, whose term expires 1964, and this nomination has been laid before the incoming Grand Master for his consideration.

REPORT OF GRAND LECTURER TO BOARD OF CUSTODIANS

9. The Grand Lecturer presented to us the report he will make to the Grand Lodge. It was examined and approved by the Board, and the Board congratulated him on his excellent work. For details see his report at Pages 75, 76 of these proceedings as Docket No. 16.

DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND LECTURERS FOR 1964-65

10. The Grand Lecturer, W.'.Nathaniel C. Dean, *P.M.*, *C.L.*, nominated the several District Deputy Grand Lecturers for the ensuing Masonic year (1964-65), and they were approved by the Board as provided in Regulation 35-08 (2).

(For details see his report at Pages 75, 76 of these Proceedings as Docket No. 16.)

HONORARY TITLE OF PAST DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND LECTURER

11. Under the provisions of Regulation 35-08 of THE CODE, we recommend, the Grand Master having approved, that the Grand Lodge grant the honorary title of Past District Deputy Grand Lecturer to each of these nineteen brethren, each of whom is qualified and is on the Roster of Certified Lecturers:

(A.) Franklin S. Harrell, D 2____________________1961-62-63
W. Herman Nobles, D 5____________________1961-62-63
Harry J. Coates, D 6____________________1961-62-63
Lee Roy Cain, D 11____________________1954-62-63
Clarence E. Jernigan, D 14____________________1961-62-63
Paul A. Bailey, D 17____________________1961-62-63
Pearlie V. Medlin, D 22____________________1961-62-63
Raymond P. Umstead, D 23____________________1961-62-63
Joseph E. Dupree, D 26____________________1961-62-63
James A. Treadaway, D 27____________________1961-62-63
E. H. Wood, Jr., D 28____________________1961-62-63
Thurston B. McAlister, D 30____________________1961-62-63
William N. Williams, D 33____________________1961-62-63
Lewis P. Hartis, D 38____________________1961-62-63
Johnny M. Robinson, Sr., D 41____________________1961-62-63
James M. Camp, Sr., D 42____________________1961-62-63
Guy A. Duncan, D 52____________________1961-62-63
Howard D. Silver, D 53____________________1961-62-63
Martin C. Cunningham, D 57____________________1961-62-63

The following brethren have heretofore served three, or six, or nine appointments and have been heretofore awarded the honorary title of PAST DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND LECTURER. They have served for the following years:

(B.) Roy T. Joyner, Sr., D 19__________1950-51-52 1961-62-63
H. Waldo Rood, D 24__________1957-58-59 1961-62-63
Homer E. Kaylor, D 44__________1955-56-57 1961-62-63

NOTE: The dates indicate the year in which appointed District Deputy Grand Lecturer.

REG. 35-08 (9) does not require continuous or successive *service* for three years or terms, but only three *appointments.*

WIDER DISTRIBUTION OF OFFICIAL STANDARD OF THE WORK

12. The Grand Lodge 1962 amended Regulation 30-03 (see Proceedings 1962, Page 83, Docket No. 8) to permit a wider distribution of the O.S.W., and we are advised by the Grand Secretary on March 13, 1964, that as of that date 266 lodges had requested a total of 1,206 copies of the O.S.W. under that amended Regulation.

W∴NATHANIEL COOK DEAN, P.M., P.D.D.G.L., C.L.

13. For three consecutive years our Grand Lodge has been very fortunate in having a dedicated member of the Craft as Grand Lecturer, and we come now to the time when our regulations require that he rest for a little while.

Our Worshipful Brother NATHANIEL COOK DEAN, *P.M., P. D.D.G.L., C.L.*, was born in Roxboro, North Carolina, on September 20, 1910; received the Three Symbolic Degrees in St. Alban's Lodge No. 6, F. & A.M., Bristol, Rhode Island, having been Initiated September 27, 1944, Passed October 11, 1944 and Raised therein November 8, 1944. He affiliated with our Pee Dee Lodge No. 150, at Norwood, North Carolina, on October 2, 1947 and was the Master of that lodge in 1953. He qualified as a Certified Lecturer on April 19, 1954, served as District Deputy Grand Lecturer during 1955, 1956, 1957, and served as Grand Lecturer for 1961, 1962 and 1963.

It has been a genuine pleasure to have served with him through these many years, and we take this opportunity to express our deep and abiding appreciation for his truly magnificent service to our Craft.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

14. The matter of changing the term of office of a District Deputy Grand Lecturer was presented and discussed in detail and laid over to a later meeting.

PROPOSAL TO AMEND THE OFFICIAL STANDARD OF THE WORK

15. A proposal to amend the Official Standard of the Work at Page 15, Column 1, Line 1 was referred to the Special Committee appointed February 29, 1964 to revise and amend the Official Standard of the Work.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES G. JOHNSTON, P.G.M., *Chairman*
CHARLES B. NEWCOMB, P.G.M., P.G.S., *Secretary*
NATHANIEL C. DEAN, P.M., C.L., *Grand Lecturer*
CHARLES C. RICKER, P.G.M.
WALTER HERMAN HARDEE, P.M., C.L.
W. HOWARD HARDY, P.M., C.L.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CHARTERS AND DISPENSATIONS

(Docket No. 51)

The following report of the Committee on Charters and Dispensations was read by Thomas J. Mann, P.M., and adopted by sections, then adopted as a whole:

To The Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Committee on Charters and Dispensations met on April 21, 1964, and examined the Petitions for Charters and other documents of Twin County Lodge U.D., Rocky Mount, North Carolina; Stedman Lodge U.D., Stedman, North Carolina; John Huske Anderson Lodge U.D., Fayetteville, North Carolina and Bush Hill Lodge U.D., Archdale, North Carolina.

Officers of these lodges under dispensation talked with the Committee and we were satisfied that they met the requirements of THE CODE relating to chartering new lodges.

We, therefore, recommend that these lodges be granted charters to work under the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of North Carolina.

We also recommend that Twin County Lodge be given the number 729; Stedman Lodge be given the number 730; John Huske Anderson Lodge be given the number 731; and that Bush Hill Lodge be given the number 732.

This Committee recommends that the members listed below be named as the principal officers of these lodges:

Twin County No. 729
Maurice Jefferson Stokes, Master
Francis Leonard Yost, Senior Warden
William Roy Whitehurst, Junior Warden

Stedman No. 730
John Robert Bryant, Master
Eldridge Hazel Cashwell, Senior Warden
Haywood Bunyan Smith, Jr., Junior Warden

John Huske Anderson No. 731
June Haywood Goforth, Master
Warren Henry Coolidge, Senior Warden
Thomas Bradley Brown, Junior Warden

Bush Hill No. 732
Robert Jones Royal, Master
Charlie Oscar Blake, Senior Warden
William Clarence Johnson, Junior Warden

We wish to take this opportunity to commend the members and officers of these lodges, the District Deputy Grand Masters and the District Deputy Grand Lecturers for the very fine work they have exhibited in the formation of these new lodges.

Respectfully submitted,
THOMAS J. MANN, P.M., *Chairman*
EDWIN T. HOWARD, P.G.M.
LOUIS W. SHRIER, P.M., P.D.D.G.M.
E. STANSIL ALDRIDGE, P.M.

ELECTION OF GRAND LODGE OFFICERS

The Grand Master announced that the time for the election of officers of the Grand Lodge had arrived, and he appointed the following tellers:

Brothers Edward P. Blair, P.M. (433); George D. Aiken (M-97); Nelson B. Banks, P.M. (724); James W. Bolick, P.M. (113); Thomas B. Brown (JW-731); Francis W. Clark, P.M. (317); D. Boyd Coltrane (716); Robert A. Culler, P.M. (674); Reynold S. Davenport, P.M. (680); Lee F. Dorsey, P.M. (705); Joseph E. Dupree, P.M. (306); Bruce C. Ferrell, P.M. (277); Dr. Olin G. Fritz, P.M. (629); Ernest H. Gibbs, P.M. (719); Herbert D. Holland, P.M. (699); Ralph O. Hood (530); Fred Lane, P.M. (188); Paul Little, P.M. (64); William S. McMillian, P.M. (205); Thomas F. Moore, P.M. (505); Earl

M. Noe, P.M. (109); W. Gale Parker, P.M. (218); Edmund D. Phillips, P.M. (530); Leon B. Perkinson, P.M. (697); James W. H. Roberts (284); E. Holland Shoaf, P.M. (210); Isadore Silverstein (700); Pearl Snider (716); and J. Earl Watson, P.M. (691):

The election resulted as follows:

Grand Master..........................GEORGE DUDLEY HUMPHREY
(1) Wilmington

Deputy Grand Master..................SAMUEL ANDREW HENNIS, JR.
(322) Mount Airy

Senior Grand Warden..................ARNOLD JACKSON KOONCE, SR.
(716) High Point

Junior Grand Warden..................ALFRED ALBRECHT KAFER, JR.
(3) New Bern

Grand Treasurer..........................JAMES WOODROW BREWER
(708) Greenville

Grand Secretary..........................CHARLES ANDERSON HARRIS
(113) Raleigh

RESOLUTION SUPPLEMENTING REPORT OF THE MASONIC AND EASTERN STAR HOME COMMITTEE

(Docket No. 52)

The following resolution was presented by R.·.W.·.Brother Arnold J. Koonce, Sr., Junior Grand Warden, and was adopted:

WHEREAS, The Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of North Carolina at its 1961 Annual Communication in New Bern directed the Board of Directors of Masonic and Eastern Star Home of N.C., Inc., to expand its facilities to accommodate 100 guests, and,

WHEREAS, The bedroom facilities have been increased but nothing has been done to provide adequate cooking and dining facilities since the enrollment has been increased by 33⅓%, and,

WHEREAS, We are agreed that the need for efficiency and enrollment at the Home is ever-increasing;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

1. That the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of North Carolina approve the immediate construction of the following:

(1) New heating plant to be relocated on a selected site at the northwest corner of the Home grounds.

(2) New kitchen and dining room building to be located immediately at the rear of existing kitchen, having approximately 6,000 square feet of floor space and with a basement to accommodate adequate laundry equipment and work room.

2. That the pro-rated cost of the above be on a 60%-40% basis; the 60% to be paid out of the Masonic Reserve Funds now held on deposit by the Home and that the Grand Chapter O.E.S. be respectfully requested to endorse this phase of our expansion program and assume responsibility for the payment of 40% of the building cost.

REPORT OF THE GRAND HISTORIAN

(Docket No. 53)

The following report of the Grand Historian was presented and entered on the record:

To The Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

I have studied with care the reports of the Grand Historian beginning in 1950 and note that each have recommended that the secretaries of the Lodges be admonished to keep accurate and comprehensive minutes, and that the Lodges should observe certain anniversary occasions. I would certainly make this my recommendation also.

I would also recommend that the eight point program delineated by Most Worshipful Brother Charles H. Pugh, Past Grand Master, in his report as Grand Historian in the 1958 proceedings be fully implemented. Significant work has been accomplished in several of his recommendations; namely, the appointment of historian in each lodge; listing of the dormant Lodges and dates; a listing of the Governors of North Carolina who have been Masons, with biographical materials.

It is quite probable that some work may be underway in the other suggested areas, namely: indexing Masonic happenings; maintaining as a continuous project a "Cut and Paste Book," and, in securing materials and objects of historical significance for the archives and for museum display.

I would like to add to this program a recommendation that each Lodge proceed to microfilm their valuable and irreplaceable records. The expense is moderate and will insure a continuous operation in case of the destruction of the original records. There are several companies that will do this work on an appointment basis and complete your records in two or three hours time for a moderate fee.

I believe there is a need each year for a summing up of significant and unusual happenings, sort of an overview of the past years work. A summation of this year might be, for example: The 177th Annual Communication of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina was held in Charlotte, N. C., April 21-22, 1964. The Annual Report of the Most Worshipful Grand Master W. Edward Burrier was highlighted by the following:

There has been an increased enthusiasm among the brethren! Grand Master Burrier noted the increased zeal and dedication which resulted from the program projected by Past Grand Master James W. Brewer in 1962, a program continued under Past Grand Master Chas. C. Ricker, and maintained during the past year.

It was noted that the Grand Lodge had received as a gift from Past Grand Master Harvey Smith a valuable work of art by Vasari, painted sometime prior to the year 1574 and known as "Building King Solomon's Temple." This painting is now on permanent display in the Grand Lodge Administrative Building in Raleigh.

It was reported that there were four new Lodges instituted and that one Lodge was constituted; the first daylight Lodge under the jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina; namely, Meridian

No. 728, Charlotte, N.C. There were five dedications and cornerstone layings, among them being the first modern building constructed to replace the old cottages of Oxford Orphanage.

A most interesting and significant visitation was made to Guthrie, Oklahoma, in October 1963 by Excelsior Lodge No. 261 to exemplify for more than 4,000 brethren the Sublime Degree of Master Mason. This invitation was extended by the Grand Master of Oklahoma to the Grand Lodge of North Carolina for the occasion of the Oklahoma Grand Lodge annual meeting. Excelsior was selected after a friendly competition among several lodges vying for the honor.

Two Edicts were issued by the Grand Master during the year. One concerned the procedure for recognizing and admitting of Brothers claiming membership through a Lodge of Cuba. Admittance to be accorded only to those holding a Certificate for Visitation, signed by Dr. Tarajano and affixed with the Grand Seal of the Grand Lodge of Cuba in Exile, and the dues card, in addition the Seal of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina and the signature of the Grand Secretary.

The second Edict had to do with the proper procedure to be followed when and if the subordinate Lodges received inquiries for information relative to their constitutions, by-laws, procedures, etc. It was outlined in the Edict that such inquiries, requests or questionnaires shall be immediately forwarded to the Grand Master of Masons of North Carolina for his consideration and action.

The recommendation was made that we affiliate with the Southeastern Masonic Conference and invite them to hold their Annual Session in North Carolina in 1965.

Respectfully submitted,
JULIAN W. HELMS, *Grand Historian*

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON MASONIC RESEARCH AND EDUCATION

(Docket No. 54)

The following report of the Committee on Masonic Research and Education was presented, and adopted.

To The Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Committee on Masonic Research and Education met Monday afternoon, April 20, 1964, and unanimously approved the following resolution:

WHEREAS, the Grand Lodge of North Carolina has made many attempts to provide an educational program to stimulate interest in attendance and understanding of Masonic teachings and principles; and

WHEREAS, each attempt has met with what might be considered an unsatisfactory degree of acceptability; and

WHEREAS, it is still the belief of many Masons that for many reasons there is a great and deep-felt need for a formal medium of communication between the Grand Lodge, the Grand Master, the

Grand Secretary's office with all of the subordinate lodges and their individual members, which medium would bring to every Mason and every lodge in North Carolina:

(1) Masonic news items of interest occurring in North Carolina;

(2) A monthly message from the Grand Master;

(3) Announcements and requests from the Grand Secretary's office;

(4) Items of interest from Oxford Orphanage; the Masonic and Eastern Star Home; MSA Hospital Visitation Program;

(5) Suggested programs for use in the lodge;

(6) Suggestions to guide the Senior and Junior Wardens in preparation for the time when they will occupy the East;

(7) Other suggested items of related Masonic interest; and

WHEREAS, the Orphans' Friend and Masonic Journal is now without an editor and is seeking someone to assume the responsibilities of that position:

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

First, that the incoming Grand Master, as soon after the close of this Annual Communication as possible, appoint a committee of not less than five, nor more than seven, members to determine the feasibility of the Grand Lodge assuming responsibility for the publication of the Orphans' Friend and Masonic Journal, changing its name if such is deemed advisable; arranging for it to be sent monthly to every Master Mason holding membership in a lodge in North Carolina; making it a Grand Lodge monthly publication in every sense of the word, conforming generally to the suggestions as set forth in this resolution; determining ways and means of making it a self-supporting organ, if such is deemed desirable and possible, or, if not, then as nearly self-supporting as possible; providing and establishing the necessary mechanics for the required organization to issue such a publication on such a basis.

Second, that in the event the committee finds such implementation is not feasible and/or practical at this time, it shall project its thinking and planning of such a program into a recommended future date, and shall file such a report, together with its recommendations, with the Grand Lodge of North Carolina at its next Annual Communication.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT L. PUGH, *Chairman*
CHARLES A. HARRIS
FREDERICK H. TRETHEWEY
A. D. LEON GRAY
SINCLAIR TEBO
NATHANIEL C. DEAN
NATHAN P. STRAUSE
BERL M. KAHN
EDWARD P. BLAIR

PRESENTATION OF CERTIFICATES OF MERIT FOR 100% PARTICIPATION IN THE GEORGE WASHINGTON MASONIC FUND

(Docket No. 54A)

M.'.W.'.Robert L. Pugh, P.G.M., Representative to the George Washington Masonic National Memorial Association, announced that the time had come to present the Certificates of Merit to the lodges that had participated 100% in the George Washington Memorial Fund since the 1963 Annual Communication.

Brother Pugh: "Most Worshipful Sir, the George Washington Memorial Program is moving along not nearly so fast as we had hoped that it might, but at least we have shown a commendable degree of progress. As of today, we have now, during the three years of this program accumulated $32,907.97 in contributions from a total of 251 lodges. Now, out of these 251 lodges that have contributed, 156 of them are 100% and, of course, all who had raised that 100% prior to last year have already received their Certificates of Merit. We now have Certificates of Merit for those lodges who have contributed their 100% sum during this year. We have one year in which to complete the program. Our incoming Grand Master has enthusiastically committed himself to making this one of the important phases of his program, and I am sure that under his leadership, we are going to make every effort to carry this program "over the hill," and next February when we go to Washington to the annual meeting of the Memorial Association, I sincerely hope and trust that our Grand Master will have the very fine honor and privilege of presenting a check representing 100% contribution from 64,000 Masons in North Carolina.

"If the Master or his representative of the following lodges is present and will come forward, I am sure the Grand Master will be happy to present to you this Certificate and will express to you at the same time his appreciation."

Phoenix Lodge No. 8
St. Alban's Lodge No. 114
Holly Springs Lodge No. 115
Mount Hermon Lodge No. 118
Blackmer Lodge No. 127
Hanks Lodge No. 128
Dan River Lodge No. 129
Radiance Lodge No. 132
Cherokee Lodge No. 146
Scotch Ireland Lodge No. 154
Winston Lodge No. 167
Blackmer Lodge No. 170
Cleveland Lodge No. 202
Mingo Lodge No. 206
Thomasville Lodge No. 214
Catawba Valley Lodge No. 217
Wiccacon Lodge No. 240
Kenly Lodge No. 257
Rehoboth Lodge No. 279
Eureka Lodge No. 283
Selma Lodge No. 320
Fairview Lodge No. 339
Fallston Lodge No. 356
Bakersville Lodge No. 357
Mount Vernon Lodge No. 359
State Line Lodge No. 375
Seaboard Lodge No. 378
Lebanon Lodge No. 391
University Lodge No. 408
Bailey Lodge No. 411
Potecasi Lodge No. 418
Relief Lodge No. 431
Marble Springs Lodge No. 439
Grassy Knob Lodge No. 471
Saluda Lodge No. 482
Traphill Lodge No. 483
Lawndale Lodge No. 486
Raleigh Lodge No. 500

Rodgers Lodge No. 525
Lucama Lodge No. 527
Fairmont Lodge No. 528
Camp Call Lodge No. 534
Revolution Lodge No. 552
Elise Lodge No. 555
Wendell Lodge No. 565
Casar Lodge No. 579
Waccamaw Lodge No. 596
Zebulon Lodge No. 609
Union Lodge No. 618
Yadkin Falls Lodge No. 637
Proctorville Lodge No. 643
Pioneer Lodge No. 685
Renfro Lodge No. 691
Cape Hatteras Lodge No. 698
Friendship Lodge No. 700
Richard Caswell Lodge No. 705
Advance Lodge No. 710
Wilson Lodge No. 712
Berne Lodge No. 724
Meridian Lodge No. 728
Twin County Lodge U.D.

FINAL REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS

(Docket No. 55)

The Committee on Credentials presented the following report, which was read, received and entered on the record:

To The Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Committee on Credentials herewith submits its final report for the 177th (1964) Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge:

Representatives from 319 Chartered Lodges Present	724
Representatives from 3 Lodges Under Dispensation Present	9
Grand Lodge Officers Present (Elective and Appointive)	19
Past Grand Masters Present (In addition to Charles A. Harris, P.G.M., *Grand Secretary;* James W. Brewer, P.G.M., *Grand Treasurer;* and J. Giles Hudson, P.G.M., *Judge Advocate,* included in Grand Lodge Officers)	17
Members of Boards, Boards of Directors, Commissions and Committees Present (not otherwise listed)	61
District Deputy Grand Masters Present	56
Total Present	876

Respectfully submitted,
ROBERT B. SPENCER (40), *Chairman*
IRVIN G. WEATHERLY
CLAUDE L. HUGHES

PRESENTATION OF BROTHER LEON GODOWN, RETIRING EDITOR OF THE ORPHANS' FRIEND AND MASONIC JOURNAL

(Docket No. 55A)

W.·.Brother A. D. Leon Gray, Assistant Grand Chaplain and Superintendent of Oxford Orphanage:

Most Worshipful Grand Master, I have by my side a beloved brother who has spent his entire adult lifehood teaching boys and training boys and making men out of them. He has been instructor of training in four institutions across America, and has spent the last forty-two years in this activity in North Carolina. And he has given

Masonry and Oxford Orphanage a magnificent service as part-time printing instructor and full-time editor of The Orphans' Friend. With a great deal of sadness, we announce that he retires on May 1st, and he will make his home in the Penick Memorial Home in Southern Pines. We turn him over to the Southern Pines Masons with all the affection we have, but we thought today that we wanted to present him to you because of the job of service he has done to Masonry and to Oxford Orphanage, that you, as Chairman of the Board, might express our appreciation unto him. (Applause).

M.·.W.·.W. Edward Burrier, Grand Master:

God Bless you, Leon. You are a dedicated and devoted Mason, and we'll just be with you, and you remember us in your prayers as we'll talk about you while we are on our knees.

Brother Leon Godown:

Most Worshipful Grand Master, Distinguished Guests and Brethren, what little I may have done for Masonry in North Carolina, has been done with the greatest of willingness. I am leaving the act of service with a lot of sadness, in a way, but a lot of gladness because I am going to have some more time to devote to Masonry, and I want to assure you, Most Worshipful Sir and the Grand Lodge of North Carolina, that every spare moment that I have from now on will be devoted to the best interests of The Grand Lodge of North Carolina. Thank you. (Applause)

RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION TO CHARLOTTE

(Docket No. 56)

M.·.W.·.Brother William J. Bundy, P.G.M., presented the following resolution of thanks to the brethren of Charlotte and environs, and it was adopted:

The One Hundred Seventy-Seventh Annual Communication of The Grand Lodge of North Carolina, A.F. & A.M., has come, and is about to go; and has been a most successful and harmonious one; the brethren have dwelt together in unity; we disassemble in unanimity and concord; peace and tranquility prevails in our valley.

This has been due in most part to the excellent planning and preparation by the local brethren, who looked solely to the convenience and comfort of those in attendance. We have been well-housed, overfed, and properly entertained as befitting Masons. Nothing has been left undone. Charlotte, by its gracious hospitality, has proved that it is truly the Queen City.

Therefore, Be It Resolved that we express our sincere appreciation to the brethren of Charlotte and environs. Charlotte is an ideal host. We would like to be invited again.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM J. BUNDY, P.G.M.

WATSON N. SHERROD, P.G.M.

ARNOLD J. KOONCE, SR., J.G.W.

RESOLUTION TO AMEND REGULATION 35-08 (B-4) OF THE CODE

(Docket No. 57)

The following resolution to amend THE CODE at Regulation 35-08 (B-4) was proposed by the Board of Custodians and referred to the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence:

BE IT RESOLVED, That the present text of Regulation 35-08 (B-4) be repealed in its entirety and that the following be substituted therefor, to make the said Regulation read as follows:

> REG. 35-08 (B-4). To arrange for and conduct District or Area Schools of Instruction in the ritualistic work in his district as prescribed by the Board of Custodians. Each lodge in the district shall participate in at least *two* such Schools of Instruction each year, (either two districts *or* two area schools or one of each), with the work equally divided as far as possible among the Lodges participating in each School of Instruction, Ritualistic work done in or by one lodge only shall not constitute a School of Instruction. (29-04).

(This subdivision amended, effective April 22, 1964)

BE IT RESOLVED FURTHER, That this amendment shall become effective upon its adoption and when it becomes effective all previous laws and enactments of the Grand Lodge, except the Constitution, which are in conflict therewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict. [111-01(6)].

CALLED FROM LABOR TO REFRESHMENT

The minutes were read by the Grand Secretary and approved. Prayer was offered by W∴Brother Troy G. Robbins, Assistant Grand Chaplain, and the Grand Lodge was called from Labor to Refreshment until 7:30 p.m., this (Wednesday) evening, April 22, 1964, in Park Center, 310 Kings Drive, in the City of Charlotte.

SECOND DAY—NIGHT SESSION

The Grand Lodge was called from Refreshment to Labor at 7:30 o'clock this (Wednesday) evening, April 22, 1964, in Park Center, 310 Kings Drive, in the City of Charlotte. Prayer was offered by W∴Brother Troy G. Robbins, Assistant Grand Chaplain.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

(Docket No. 58)

The following report of the Committee on Finance was read and adopted:

To The Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

Your Finance Committee reports that they have checked the report of the Grand Secretary and the audit of the Auditor, and find that the Grand Secretary's Office received the following amounts from the sources tabulated and in parallel columns are shown the estimates in 1963:

ITEM I:	ACTUAL	BUDGET
1. From lodges, per capita, initiation fees, charity, penalties and other fees	$183,110.50	$183,016.50
2. North Carolina Masonic Foundation	30,717.83	-0-
3. Sale of books and manuals	3,399.05	4,000.00
4. Interest earned (Savings & Loan Shares)	1,793.38	2,000.00
5. Expense refunds, penalties, Grand Lodge demits	900.16	700.00
6. Geo. Wash. Mas. Nat. Mem. Assoc.	12,160.50	-0-
7. Advance payment anniversary medals & sale of old desk	25.50	-0-
Total	$235,576.87	$193,216.50
Balance—Jan. 1, 1963	$ 17,193.79	$ 10,713.50
Total Receipts & Balance	$252,770.66	$203,930.00

ITEM II:

Estimates of our income were rather close to our actual receipts for 1963 with the exception, of course, of the amount for the Geo. Washington Masonic National Memorial Association and the Masonic Foundation. The amount for the GWMNMA is to be transferred to a separate account, administered by the Grand Treasurer, and therefore does not appear in the anticipated income. We anticipate that income from the Foundation will be contributed to the Orphanage, the Masonic and Eastern Star Home in Greensboro and to charity. After these payments have been made and a small operating fund has been retained, it is recommended that any surplus Grand Lodge funds at the end of the year be transferred to the Foundation.

REPORT OF THE GRAND TREASURER

Receipts:		
Balance January 1, 1963	$ 17,093.79	
Received from Grand Secretary	235,576.87	
Cks. 1-63 Through 30-63		
Total Receipts		$252,670.66
Disbursements:		
Vouchers 1-63 Through 799-63	$228,444.45	
Total Disbursements		$228,444.45
Balance December 31, 1963		$ 24,226.21

ITEM III: EXPENDITURES—1963

A. Orphanage, Home and Charity	$ 72,800.00
B. Salaries	43,710.80
C. Masonic Dues	5,990.12
D. Sundry Expense	17,487.26
E. Grand Representatives Out of State	2,611.30
F. Expense, Grand Secretary's Office	11,557.20
G. Expense Annual Communication	15,693.85
H. District Deputies	3,466.45
I. Expense, Executive Office Building	11,822.98
J. Miscellaneous Expense	24,905.93
Totals	$210,045.89

ESTIMATE OF INCOME IN 1964

63,967 Masons @ $2.50	$159,917.50	
2,050 Initiations @ $1.00	2,050.00	
2,050 Charity Fees @ $10.00	20,500.00	
Drewry Fund Income	3,500.00	
Income From N. C. Masonic Foundation	21,500.00	
Refunds from Audits	700.00	
Savings and Loan Dividends	2,000.00	
Miscellaneous Sales of Books	4,000.00	
Total Income	$214,167.50	
Bank Balance December 31, 1963	$ 24,226.21	
Less Accounts Payable	10,000.00	
		14,226.21
Total Estimated Income		$228,393.71
Total Suggested Budget for 1964	$206,925.00	
Operating Balance	21,468.71	
Totals	$228,393.71	$228,393.71

BUDGET

In preparing the Budget, we recognize that the appropriations in "A", Oxford Orphanage, Masonic and Eastern Star Home, and Charity; "B", Salaries; "C" Masonic Expenses; "D" Sundry Ex-

pense; "E" Out-of-State Expense of Representatives; "F", Office Expense of the Grand Secretary; "G" Annual Communication Expense; "H", D.D.G.M. and D.D.G.L. Travel Expense; "I", Executive Office Building Expense; and "J" Miscellaneous, are authorized to spend so much thereof as may be needed.

Furthermore, we recommend that the Grand Master authorize and direct as to when the several appropriations shall be paid by warrant of the Grand Secretary, and that the Grand Master have authority, when he deems it advisable, for the best interest of the Grand Lodge, to suspend the allotment made to any committee, activity, or agency of the Grand Lodge.

Furthermore, we recommend that when it shall appear to be for the best interest of the Grand Lodge, the Grand Master be authorized to give written authorization for this budget to be exceeded or for any department, agency, or office to incur out of ordinary expenses not herein provided for.

		Proposed Budget For 1964
A—1.	Oxford Orphanage	$50,000.00
2.	Masonic & Eastern Star Home	21,500.00
3.	Charity	2,000.00
B—1.	Grand Secretary	10,000.00
2.	Grand Treasurer	500.00
3.	Grand Tyler	100.00
4.	Grand Historian	100.00
5.	Fraternal Correspondent	300.00
6.	Clerical Help, Grand Secretary's Office	22,500.00
7.	Assistant to the Grand Secretary	7,800.00
8.	Social Security Taxes	1,500.00
C—1.	Masonic Service Association	1,550.00
2.	Grand Masters Conference	120.00
3.	Grand Secretaries Conference	30.00
4.	Masonic Relief Assn. of the U. S. & Canada	325.00
5.	Geo. Washington Masonic Natl. Mem. Assn.	1,000.00
6.	M. S. A. for Hospital Visitation	3,000.00
D—1.	Grand Master's Office and Travel	5,000.00
2.	Grand Secretary's Travel Expense	2,400.00
3.	Grand Treasurer's Office	150.00
4.	Deputy Grand Master's Travel	500.00
5.	Lecture Service	7,000.00
6.	Auditing	1,200.00
E—1.	Grand Masters Conf. (Elective Officers)	1,375.00
2.	Visiting Other Grand Lodges	1,800.00
3.	Representative to M.S.A. and GWMNMA	275.00
F—1.	Miscellaneous Office Expense	4,500.00
2.	Postage	1,200.00
3.	Printing Official Forms	600.00
4.	Printing Proceedings	4,000.00
5.	Printing Misc. Masonic Ceremonies	400.00
6.	Reworking Old Proceedings	100.00
7.	Pantagraph and Other Publications	700.00

	8. Reprinting The Code (One-half in 1964)	3,500.00
G—	1. Grand Officers, Annual Communication	2,000.00
	2. Past Grand Officers, Annual Communication	1,000.00
	3. DDGMs, Annual Communication	1,800.00
	4. DDGLs, Annual Communication	1,000.00
	5. Boards and Committees, Annual Communication	1,200.00
	6. Guests and Misc., Annual Communication	5,000.00
H—	1. Visiting Lodges, DDGMs	2,000.00
	2. Visiting Lodges, DDGLs	800.00
I—	1. Janitor Service	3,300.00
	2. Light, Heat and Water	2,500.00
	3. Telephone and Telegraph	1,100.00
	4. Insurance	2,000.00
	5. Janitorial Supplies	200.00
	6. Maintenance of Grounds	500.00
	7. Maintenance of Building	500.00
	8. Maintenance of Equipment	1,200.00
	9. Automobile Expense	200.00
	10. Grand Lodge Building Reserve	5,000.00
J—	1. Contingent	4,100.00
	2. Refunds	100.00
	3. Code Commission	800.00
	4. Board of Custodians	3,600.00
	5. Board of General Purposes	900.00
	6. Judge Advocate	400.00
	7. Committee on By-laws	300.00
	8. Lodge Service Commission	500.00
	9. Employees Retirement Allowance	600.00
	10. Committee on Masonic Research & Education	1,000.00
	11. Automobile for Grand Master	1,500.00
	12. Office Equipment	800.00
	13. Portraits of Grand Masters	2,000.00
	14. Order of DeMolay	300.00
	15. Order of Rainbow for Girls	200.00
	16. Awards, Aprons, Emblems and Jewels	1,000.00
	17. Cabinet for Grand Master's Portraits	500.00
		$206,925.00

RECAPITULATION

A—Orphanage, Home and Charity	$ 73,500.00
B—Salaries	42,800.00
C—Masonic Dues	6,025.00
D—Sundry Expense	16,250.00
E—Grand Representatives Out of State	3,450.00
F—Expense, Grand Secretary's Office	15,000.00
G—Expense, Annual Communication	12,000.00
H—District Deputies	2,800.00
I—Expense, Executive Office Building	16,500.00
J—Miscellaneous Expense	18,600.00
Totals	$206,925.00

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. We recommend that an honorarium of $1,200.00 be paid to Brother Percy C. Stott out of the Charity Fund, the same to be paid as follows: $500.00 on May 1, 1964 and $100.00 per month for the remainder of 1964.

2. We have included in the budget allocations to provide for the usual functions of the Grand Lodge and its recognized committees.

3. The new budget contains provision also for publication of about 2,500 copies of THE CODE, with the remainder to be included in the next succeeding budget.

4. Membership fee in the Southeastern Masonic Conference will be small, less than $300.00. It is recommended that if needed this amount be paid from contingency, J-1.

5. We recommend continuation of the policy of purchasing an automobile, to be owned by the Grand Lodge, for the use of the Grand Master. We recommend the use of a series 62 Cadillac, or its equal, the same to be traded in at the end of the year by the Grand Lodge. In each succeeding annual purchase the Grand Lodge shall obtain three competitive bids.

6. We recommend that Budget items D-1, 2, 3 and 4 be listed in the Grand Secretary's Report to show disbursements from January 1 through April 30 and from May 1 through December 31 of each year, and that these four items shall be shown in the budget as subsections D-1 a and b, D-2 a and b, D-3 a and b and D-4 a and b.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT L. PUGH, *Chairman*
G. DUDLEY HUMPHREY, *Deputy Grand Master*
SAM A. HENNIS, JR., *Senior Grand Warden*
ARNOLD J. KOONCE, SR., *Junior Grand Warden*
WILLIAM C. MOORE
HERBERT B. RUFFIN
J. W. H. ROBERTS
ROBERT N. BASS, JR., *Junior Grand Deacon*
MAXWELL E. HOFFMAN

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON MASONIC JURISPRUDENCE

(Docket No. 59)

The Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence made the following report which was read, and each item and subdivision was adopted by more than two-thirds of the votes cast, then the report as a whole was adopted by a unanimous vote:

To The Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

Your Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence respectfully submits the following report. For convenient reference, we use the same subjects, titles and subdivisions of the Report of the Grand Master as used by him, or the Docket number as used in any report, or other document submitted for our consideration and action, in all references to those matters and subjects.

DISPENSATIONS

Item 1. The Grand Master has reported to us that he has granted several dispensations as follows:

1. To hold communications of lodges in places other than in their regular lodge halls.

2. To elect officers of a lodge to fill vacancies caused by death or by resignation.

We approve the action of the Grand Master as reported to us in each case, and we recommend that the Grand Lodge approve the same.*

* Approved by the Grand Lodge.

ONE-STORY LODGE BUILDINGS

Item 2. The Grand Master reported that he had granted dispensations under Regulation 49-04 of THE CODE to each of the following lodges to occupy one-story lodge buildings:

St. John's Lodge No. 4	June 19, 1963
Morning Star Lodge No. 85	June 20, 1963
Central Cross Lodge No. 187	August 21, 1963
Mount Olive Lodge No. 208	September 10, 1963
Greenville Lodge No. 284	August 21, 1963
Red Springs Lodge No. 501	July 29, 1963
Fort Bragg Lodge No. 667	
Crown Point Lodge No. 708	August 21, 1963
Troy Lodge No. 718	November 13, 1963
Winton Lodge No. 723	March 14, 1964
Bush Hill Lodge U. D.	September 11, 1963

We recommend that the Grand Lodge approve the same*

* Approved by the Grand Lodge.

OFFICIAL OPINIONS

Item 3. The Grand Master reported four (4) Official Opinions in his address under this title. We recommend that the Grand Lodge approve each of them as reported by him.*

* Approved by the Grand Lodge.

EDICTS

Item 4. We recommend that the two (2) Edicts issued by the Grand Master and contained in his report be approved to the extent that either of them do not conflict with THE CODE or any previous law or enactment of the Grand Lodge.*

* Approved by the Grand Lodge.

RESOLUTION TO REVISE AND AMEND THE CODE

Item 5. The Jurisprudence Committee approved the Resolution presented at this Annual Communication under Docket No. 27 to Revise and Amend THE CODE, and we recommend that the Grand Lodge adopt the same.*

* Adopted by the Grand Lodge.

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CODE—APPROVED

Item 6. The following proposal to amend THE CODE has been carefully considered by us, and we recommend that the Grand Lodge approve and adopt it as follows:

1. Docket No. 57 to amend Regulation 35-08 (B-4), the text of which will be found in these Proceedings at Page 161.*

* Approved by the Grand Lodge.

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CODE—AMENDED

Item 7. The proposed Amendment to THE CODE at Chapter 74, in these Proceedings as Docket Number 38, which was presented to the Grand Lodge yesterday (April 21, 1964) and amended to read as follows:

BE IT RESOLVED, That Chapter 74 of THE CODE be amended as follows: That Regulation 74-01(10); Regulation 74-02; Regulation 74-03; and Regulation 74-04 of THE CODE be repealed.

That a new Regulation be adopted to read as follows:

REG. 74-02. "If a Petition for the Degrees is presented to a lodge by a petitioner who is physically defective for any reason, the petition shall be forwarded within five days to the Grand Master, and if he approves the same, the lodge may then receive the petition."

(This Regulation new effective April 22, 1964.)

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That this amendment shall become effective upon its adoption and when it becomes effective all previous laws and enactments of the Grand Lodge, except the Constitution, which are in conflict therewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict. [111-01(6)].*

* Approved by the Grand Lodge.

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CODE—REFERRED RESOLUTION TO AMEND REGULATION 93-01 OF THE CODE

Item 8. The Resolution to amend Regulation 93-01 of THE CODE in reference to Cornerstones was withdrawn by the proposer, and we recommend the matter be referred to the incoming Grand Master to appoint a Special Committee to study the subject and report thereon at the next Annual Communication.

RESOLUTION TO AMEND CHAPTER 74 OF THE CODE

Item 9. This Committee does not recommend at this time the adoption of the proposed resolution to amend Regulations 60-05 and 83-01 of THE CODE, relating to dual and plural membership in these Proceedings as Docket Numbers 18 and 48 because we do not have sufficient information on which to make a proper report. We recommend to the incoming Grand Master that he appoint a Special Committee to carefully study the subject and make a full report to the next Annual Communication including proposed amendments to THE CODE necessary to properly implement their recommendation.

No other matters have been presented or referred to us.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM J. BUNDY, P.G.M., *Chairman*
G. DUDLEY HUMPHREY, C.L., *Deputy Grand Master*
SAM A. HENNIS, *Senior Grand Warden*
JAMES W. BREWER, P.G.M., *Grand Treasurer*
CHARLES B. NEWCOMB, P.G.M., P.G.S., *Secretary*
ALFRED A. KAFER, *Senior Grand Deacon*
ROBERT N. BASS, *Junior Grand Deacon*
WILLIAM A. HOOKS, C.L., *Grand Marshal*
MAURICE E. WALSH, *Grand Steward*
CHARLIE C. RICKER, P.G.M.
MAXWELL E. HOFFMAN, P.G.M.
THOMAS F. MOORE, P.M.
EARL M. NOE, P.M., C.L.
E. PAUL MARTIN, P.M.
W. PAUL PIKE, P.M.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE NORTH CAROLINA MASONIC FOUNDATION, INC.

(Docket No. 60)

The following report of the Board of Directors of The North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Inc., was read and the report was adopted:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Board of Directors of the North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Inc., respectfully presents the following balance sheets, reports of assets and liabilities, and reports of income or receipts and disbursements of the Permanent Fund, the Drewry Memorial Grand Secretary's Fund, the B. F. Moore Legacy, and the Taylor Grant Fund, for each of which the Foundation is the Custodian, and which constitutes its entire business for the calendar year ending December 31, 1963.

The attached Exhibits "A", "B", "C", and "D" represent Balance Sheets of the Permanent Fund, the Drewry Memorial Grand Secretary's Fund, the B. F. Moore Legacy, and the Taylor Grant Fund, respectively. Exhibit "E" represents income and disbursements for the year of the Permanent Fund, and exhibit "F" represents receipts and disbursements for the year of the Drewry Memorial Grand Secretary's

Fund. All of the Exhibits "A" through "F" were taken from the report of the Auditor for the year 1963.

Exhibits "G", "H", "I", "J", "K", and "L" represent the listings of the investments or assets of the Permanent Fund, the Drewry Memorial Grand Secretary's Fund, and the B. F. Moore Legacy, all of which were placed in the hands of the First-Citizens Bank and Trust Company, of Raleigh, to be referred to hereafter as the "Trustee," as of December 31, 1963, and acknowledged by said Trustee under date of November 27, 1963.

Due to a tragic accident on April 22, 1963 which took the life of our then Secretary-Treasurer of the North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Inc., Right Worshipful Brother Wilbur LeRoy McIver, Past Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina, a special meeting of the Board of Directors of the Foundation was called by the President for May 24, 1963, at which time Brother Charles A. Harris, a Director, was elected Secretary-Treasurer. Brother James G. Johnston, also a Director, was elected a member of the Investment Committee.

Another special meeting was called by the President for November 15, 1963. All of the Directors were present except Brother James G. Johnston. Brother G. Dudley Humphrey, Attorney for the Foundation, was also present. A proposed trust agreement between the North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Inc., and the First-Citizens Bank & Trust Company, Trustee, to become effective on January 1, 1964, was adopted by unanimous vote of the Directors present. A certified copy of this agreement, which was executed on December 17, 1963, is attached to and made a part of this report.

The annual meeting of the Board of Directors of the Foundation was held in the Executive Office Building of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina on March 13, 1964. All Directors were present except Brother Harvey W. Smith.

At this meeting the following officers for the ensuing year were duly elected:

President................................Watson N. Sherrod
Vice-President................................Roy R. Pool
Secretary-Treasurer..........................Charles A. Harris

Respectfully submitted,

Board of Directors of
The North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Inc.
WATSON N. SHERROD, P.G.M., *President*
ROY R. POOL, P.M., *Vice-President*
HARVEY W. SMITH, P.G.M.
JAMES G. JOHNSTON, P.G.M.
CHARLES A. HARRIS, P.G.M., *Secretary-Treasurer*

THE GRAND LODGE OF A.F. & A.M. OF NORTH CAROLINA
PERMANENT FUND
THE NORTH CAROLINA MASONIC FOUNDATION, INC., Custodian
BALANCE SHEET
December 31, 1963

EXHIBIT "A"

ASSETS

CASH:			
Wachovia Bank & Trust Company		$ 18,634.51	
First Citizens Bank & Trust Company		5,000.00	
Total Cash			$ 23,634.51
ACCOUNT RECEIVABLE—Temporary Loan to The Grand Lodge			10,000.00
DUE FROM DREWRY MEMORIAL GRAND SECRETARY'S FUND			561.31
INVESTMENTS (At Cost):			
Savings & Loan Association		145,000.00	
United States Goverment Bonds		564,383.26	
Corporate Stocks		432,110.28	
Corporate Bonds		52,476.25	
Total Investments			1,193,969.79
OTHER ASSETS:			
Office Equipment (Steel Files)			355.89
Total Assets			$1,228,521.50

LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS

LIABILITIES			$ None
SURPLUS:			
Balance—January 1, 1963		$1,180,037.99	
Add:			
Operating Income for 1963		49,214.39	
Gain from Sale of 640 Shares of Corn Products Company		23,821.35	
Total		$1,253,073.73	
Deduct:			
1963 Income Paid to The Grand Lodge	$20,717.83		
Operating Expenses for 1963	3,834.40	24,552.23	1,228,521.50
Total Liabilities and Surplus			$1,228,521.50

THE GRAND LODGE OF A. F. & A. M. OF NORTH CAROLINA
DREWRY MEMORIAL GRAND SECRETARY'S FUND
THE NORTH CAROLINA MASONIC FOUNDATION, INC.,
Custodian

BALANCE SHEET

December 31, 1963

EXHIBIT "B"

ASSETS		
CASH:		
Raleigh Savings & Loan Association, Raleigh, North Carolina		$ 752.81
INVESTMENTS (At Cost):		
Corporate Stocks	$28,807.63	
Corporate Bonds	4,187.50	
Total Investments		32,995.13
Total Assets		$33,747.94
LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS		
LIABILITIES:		
Balance Due Permanent Fund		$ 561.31
SURPLUS:		
Balance—January 1, 1963	$33,157.50	
Add: Operating Income for 1963	3,499.08	
Total	$36,656.58	
Deduct: Disbursements to The Grand Lodge	3,469.95	
Total Surplus		33,186.63
Total Liabilities and Surplus		$33,747.94

THE GRAND LODGE OF A.F. & A.M. OF NORTH CAROLINA
B. F. MOORE LEGACY

THE NORTH CAROLINA MASONIC FOUNDATION, INC.,
Custodian

BALANCE SHEET

December 31, 1963

EXHIBIT "C"

ASSETS	
CASH:	$ 47.50
U. S. TREASURY NOTE, NO. 10766: 4¾% Series A. 1964; Dated 7-20-59; Due 5-15-64	1,000.00
Total Assets	$1,047.50
LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS	
LIABILITIES (Income Payable to Oxford Orphanage)	$ 47.50
SURPLUS	1,000.00
Total Liabilities and Surplus	$1,047.50

THE GRAND LODGE OF A. F. & A. M. OF NORTH CAROLINA

TAYLOR GRANT FUND

THE NORTH CAROLINA MASONIC FOUNDATION, INC., Custodian

BALANCE SHEET

December 31, 1963

EXHIBIT "D"

ASSETS		
CASH:		
Raleigh Savings & Loan Association, Raleigh, North Carolina		$814.77
Total Assets		$814.77
LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS		
LIABILITIES:		$ None
SURPLUS:		
Balance—January 1, 1963	$783.13	
Interest Received in 1963	31.64	814.77
Total Liabilities and Surplus		$814.77

The Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of North Carolina

PERMANENT FUND INCOME AND EXPENSES

Year Ended December 31, 1963

EXHIBIT "E"

INCOME

COMMON STOCKS:		
Allied Stores	$ 600.00	
American Tel. & Tel. Company	6,804.00	
American Tobacco Company	1,800.00	
Bendix Corporation, The	504.00	
Bethlehem Steel Corporation	300.00	
Borg Warner Corporation	200.00	
Cannon Mills Company	640.00	
Carolina Power & Light Company	552.00	
Colgate-Palmolive Company	870.00	
Consolidated Edison Company of N. Y.	344.79	
Continental Baking Company	440.00	
Corn Products Company	672.00	
Duke Power Company	855.00	
General Motors Corporation	1,600.00	
International Harvester Company	480.00	
Liggett and Myers Tobacco Company	1,000.00	
Macy and Company, R. H.	440.00	
North Carolina Railroad Company	350.00	
Philip Morris, Incorporated	360.00	
Radio Corporation of America	279.80	
Reynolds Tobacco Company, R. J.	3,300.00	
Socony Mobil Oil Company	520.00	
Standard Oil Company (Indiana)	432.70	
Standard Oil Company (New Jersey)	577.50	
Standard Oil Company (Ohio)	811.50	
United States Rubber Company	220.00	
United States Steel Company	200.00	
Celanese Corporation	560.00	$25,713.29
PREFERRED STOCKS:		
Carolina Power & Light Company	630.00	
International Minerals & Chemical Corp.	400.00	1,030.00
CORPORATE BONDS:		
American Tobacco Company, The	300.00	
Carolina, Clinchfield and Ohio Railroad	240.00	
Consolidated Edison Company of N. Y.	150.00	
Duke Power Company	431.10	
Piedmont and Northern Railway	525.00	1,646.10
UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT BONDS:		
Coupon Bonds	2,125.00	
U. S. Treasury 2½% Bonds of 1964-69	7,500.00	
U. S. Treasury 2½% Bonds of 1967-72	625.00	
U. S. Treasury 2¾% Bonds of 1975-80	2,750.00	
U. S. Treasury 3¼% Bonds of 1978-83	1,462.50	
U. S. Treasury 4¾% Notes, Series A of 1964	475.00	14,937.50
SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATIONS:		
Clyde Savings & Loan (Clyde)	$ 437.50	
Concord-Kannapolis Savings & Loan (Concord)	400.00	
Enfield Building & Loan (Enfield)	400.00	
First Federal Savings & Loan (Durham)	400.00	
First Federal Savings & Loan (New Bern)	400.00	
First Federal Savings & Loan (Raleigh)	400.00	
First Federal Savings & Loan (Sanford)	412.50	
Home Savings & Loan (Greenville)	400.00	
Peoples Savings & Loan (Wilmington)	425.00	
Piedmont Savings & Loan (High Point)	400.00	
Raleigh Savings & Loan (Raleigh)	400.00	
Roxboro Building & Loan (Roxboro)	400.00	
Sanford Savings & Loan (Sanford)	412.50	
Security Savings & Loan (Farmville)	400.00	
Smithfield Savings & Loan (Smithfield)	200.00	$ 5,887.50
Total Income from Investments		49,214.39

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The Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of North Carolina

PERMANENT FUND INCOME AND EXPENSES—— Continued

EXPENSES

SERVICES RENDERED:		
W. L. McIver	1,200.00	
Charles A. Harris	1,000.00	
G. Dudley Humphrey	1,000.00	
Accountant	350.00	
BOND PREMIUM	196.35	
BOX RENT, TELEPHONE, AND MISCELLANEOUS	88.05	
Total Expenses		3,834.40
Net Income		$45,379.99

THE GRAND LODGE OF A.F. & A.M. OF NORTH CAROLINA
DREWRY MEMORIAL GRAND SECRETARY'S FUND

THE NORTH CAROLINA MASONIC FOUNDATION, INC., Custodian

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

Year Ended December 31, 1963

EXHIBIT "F"

RECEIPTS		
R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company	$1,663.20	
American Tel. & Tel. Company	1,123.20	
Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company	225.00	
Consolidated Edison Company of N. Y.	278.55	
Raleigh Savings & Loan Association	29.13	
International Harvester	180.00	
Advance from Permanent Fund	561.31	
Total Receipts		$4,060.39
DISBURSEMENTS		
Paid to The Grand Lodge	3,469.95	
Cost of Seven Shares of Consolidated Edison Co. of N. Y. (Rights Exercised)	561.31	
Total Disbursements		4,031.26
Excess of Receipts Over Disbursements		29.13
Balance on Deposit 1-1-63 (Raleigh Savings & Loan)		723.68
Cash Balance—December 31, 1963		$ 752.81

THE GRAND LODGE OF A. F. & A. M. OF NORTH CAROLINA
THE NORTH CAROLINA MASONIC FOUNDATION, INC., PERMANENT FUND
Custodian
INVESTMENT IN SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATIONS

EXHIBIT "G"

Name and Address	Amount
Clyde Savings and Loan Association, Clyde, N. C.	$ 10,000.00
Concord-Kannapolis Savings and Loan Association Concord, N. C.	10,000.00
Enfield Building & Loan Association, Enfield, N. C.	10,000.00
First Federal Savings & Loan Association, Durham, N. C.	10,000.00
First Federal Savings & Loan Association, New Bern, N. C.	10,000.00
First Federal Savings & Loan Association, Raleigh, N. C.	10,000.00
First Federal Savings & Loan Association, Sanford, N. C.	10,000.00
Home Savings and Loan Association, The, Greenville N. C.	10,000.00
Peoples Savings and Loan Association, Wilmington, N. C.	10,000.00
Piedmont Savings & Loan Association, High Point, N. C.	10,000.00
Raleigh Savings & Loan Association, Raleigh, N. C.	10,000.00
Roxboro Building and Loan Association, Roxboro, N. C.	10,000.00
Sanford Savings and Loan Association, Sanford, N. C.	10,000.00
Security Savings and Loan Association, Farmville, N. C.	10,000.00
Smithfield Savings and Loan Association, Smithfield, N. C.	5.000.00
TOTAL	$145,000.00

THE GRAND LODGE OF A. F. & A. M. OF NORTH CAROLINA
PERMANENT FUND
THE NORTH CAROLINA MASONIC FOUNDATION, INC., Custodian

INVESTMENT IN GOVERNMENT BONDS

EXHIBIT "H"

	Face Amount	Cost
U. S. GOVERNMENT COUPON BONDS:		
148646F 2½% 12-15-1972/1967	$ 10,000.00	
148647H 2½% 12-15-1972/1967	10,000.00	
148648J 2½% 12-15-1972/1967	10,000.00	
148649K 2½% 12-15-1972/1967	10,000.00	
148650L 2½% 12-15-1972/1967	10,000.00	
	$ 50,000.00	$ 52,218.75
96493C 2½% 6-15-1972/1967	10,000.00	$ 10,090.62
59528J 2½% 12-15-1969/1964	10,000.00	9,765.63
43882B 2½% 12-15-1969/1964	5,000.00	4,882.81
48797H 2½% 12-15-1969/1964	10,000.00	9,712.50
U. S. GOVERNMENT BONDS—REGISTERED:		
12807H 2½% 12-15-1972-1967	5,000.00	
21147H 2½% 12-15-1972/1967	10,000.00	
21148J 2½% 12-15-1972/1967	10,000.00	
	$ 25,000.00	$ 25,223.64
4761A 2½% 12-15-1969/1964	100,000.00	97,562.50
4764D 2½% 12-15-1969-1964	100,000.00	97,031.25
4815E 2½% 12-15-1969/1964	100,000.00	97,312.50
33747H 2¾% 4-1-1980/1975	10,000.00	
33748J 2¾% 4-1-1980/1975	10,000.00	
33749K 2¾% 4-1-1980/1975	10,000.00	
33750L 2¾% 4-1-1980/1975	10,000.00	
33751A 2¾% 4-1-1980/1975	10,000.00	
33752B 2¾% 4-1-1980/1975	10,000.00	
33753C 2¾% 4-1-1980/1975	10,000.00	
33754D 2¾% 4-1-1980/1975	10,000.00	
33755E 2¾% 4-1-1980/1975	10,000.00	
33756F 2¾% 4-1-1980/1975	10,000.00	
	$100,000.00	$101,935.94
6003C 3¼% 6-15-1983/1978	10,000.00	10,525.00
4617H 3¼% 6-15-1983/1978	5,000.00	5,318.99
6262B 3¼% 6-15-1983/1978	10,000.00	
6263C 3¼% 6-15-1983/1978	10,000.00	
6264D 3¼% 6-15-1983/1978	10,000.00	
	$ 30,000.00	$ 32,803.13
U. S. TREASURY NOTE		
2384 4¾% Series A-1964 5-15-64	10,000.00	10,000.00
Total Investment in U. S. Government Bonds	$565,000.00	$564,383.26

THE GRAND LODGE OF A.F. & A.M. OF NORTH CAROLINA
PERMANENT FUND

THE NORTH CAROLINA MASONIC FOUNDATION, INC.,
Custodian

INVESTMENT IN STOCKS

EXHIBIT "I"

Issued By	Nos. Shares	Kind	Cost
Allied Stores Corporation	200	Common	$ 8,748.70
Amer. Telephone & Telegraph Co.	1890	Common	102,476.60
American Tobacco Company, The	1200	Common	20,166.54
Bendix Corporation, The	210	Common	13,391.90
Bethlehem Steel Corporation	200	Common	8,225.10
Borg-Warner Corporation	100	Common	4,014.03
Cannon Mills Company	200	Class B Common (non-vot)	12,300.00
Carolina Power & Light Co.	126	$5 pfd.	13,929.50
Carolina Power & Light Co.	300	Common	18,675.00
Celanese Corp. of America	700	Common	33,007.93
Colgate-Palmolive Company	750	Common	12,073.84
Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc.	109	Common	7,031.33
Continental Baking Company	200	Common	8,225.74
Duke Power Company	475	Common	6,322.65
General Motors Corporation	400	Common	17,789.62
International Harvester Company	200	Common	6,667.35
International Minerals and Chemical Corp.	100	4% Cum. Pfd.	8,687.50
Liggett and Myers Tobacco Co.	200	Common	16,177.59
Macy and Company, Inc., R. H.	200	Common	6,491.48
North Carolina Railroad Company	50	Common	10,000.00
Phillip Morris, Inc.	100	Common	5,077.54
Radio Corporation of America	216	Common	7,070.10
Reynolds Tobacco Co., R. J.	2000	Common	28,453.40
Socony Mobil Oil Company Inc.	200	Common	10,288.55
Standard Oil Company (Indiana)	200	Common	9,334.61
Standard Oil Co. (New Jersey)	210	Common	10,964.23
Standard Oil Company (Ohio)	300	Common	15,507.73
United States Rubber Company	100	Common	4,403.31
United States Steel Corp.	100	Common	6,608.41
TOTAL INVESTMENT IN STOCKS			$432,110.28

THE GRAND LODGE OF A.F. & A.M. OF NORTH CAROLINA PERMANENT FUND

THE NORTH CAROLINA MASONIC FOUNDATION, INC., Custodian

INVESTMENT IN CORPORATE BONDS

EXHIBIT "J"

Name of Company	Description	Face Amount	Cost
American Tobacco Company, The: Nos. 3134. 4124. 9451. 30942. 30943. 30944, 30945, 81775, 81776, 81777	25 years, 3% Debentures Due 10-15-69	$10,000.00	$10,637.50
Carolina Clinchfield & Ohio Railway: Nos. M-6180, M-18021, M-18022, M-18023, M-18024, M-18025	1st Mortgage 4% Series "A" Due 9-1-65	6,000.00	6,532.50
Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc.; Nos. M-15134-15138, Inclusive	1st & Refunding Mtg. 3% Series "E" Due 1-1-79	5,000.00	5,337.50
Duke Power Company: Nos. DM25804-DM25818, Inclusive	1st & Refunding Mtg. 2⅞%, Due 2-1-79	15,000.00	15,243.75
Piedmont and Northern Railway Company: Nos. M209, M210, M211, M212, M213, M2986, M2987, M2988, M2989, M4978, M4979, M6198, M6199, M6200	1st Mortage 3¾% Due 12-1-66	14,000.00	14,725.00
TOTAL INVESTMENT IN CORPORATE BONDS		$50,000.00	$52,476.25

THE GRAND LODGE OF A.F. & A.M. OF NORTH CAROLINA
DREWRY MEMORIAL GRAND SECRETARY'S FUND
Custodian
INVESTMENT IN BONDS AND STOCKS

EXHIBIT "K"

Issued By	Par Value or Shares	Kind	Dated	Cost
Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company	$5,000.00	General Unified Mortgage 50-year Coupon Gold Bond 4½% Due 6-1-1964	6-1-1914	$ 4,187.50
American Tel. & Tel. Company	312Shs.	Common		12,626.39
Consolidated Edison Company of New York	88Shs.	Common		3,421.28
International Harvester Company	75Shs.	Common		2,373.12
Reynolds Tobacco Company, R. J.	1008Shs.	Common		10,386.84
TOTAL INVESTMENT IN BONDS AND STOCKS				$32,995.13

THE GRAND LODGE OF A.F. & A.M. OF NORTH CAROLINA
B. F. MOORE LEGACY
THE NORTH CAROLINA MASONIC FOUNDATION, INC.,
Custodian

EXHIBIT "L"

ASSETS

	Face Amount	Cost
U. S. TREASURY NOTE, No. 10766: 4¾% Series A 1964; Due 5-15-64	$1,000.00	$1,000.00

PRINCIPAL CASH —$ .00—

INCOME CASH —$ .00—

NORTH CAROLINA
WAKE COUNTY

THIS AGREEMENT made and entered into this 31st day of December, 1963, by and between the NORTH CAROLINA MASONIC FOUNDATION, INCORPORATED, a non-stock, non-profit, exclusively charitable corporation, duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of North Carolina, with its principal office at Raleigh, North Carolina, hereinafter called "Foundation" and FIRST-CITIZENS BANK AND TRUST COMPANY, a North Carolina Banking Corporation, with its principal office in Smithfield, North Carolina, hereinafter called "Trustee."

WITNESSETH

That the North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Incorporated, is a non-stock, non-profit, and exclusively charitable corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of North Carolina, and a copy of its Charter is hereto annexed as Exhibit A; and

That the Foundation is custodian for the Grand Lodge of North Carolina, Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, (hereinafter called the "Grand Lodge") Permanent Fund (hereinafter called the "Permanent Fund"); and

That the Foundation is custodian for the Trustees of the "Drewry Memorial Grand Secretary's Fund", for the benefit of the Grand Lodge, which trust was created by item XI of the Last Will and Testament of John C. Drewry, Sr., who died October 2, 1916, and whose will is recorded in Will Book H, page 309, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Wake County, a copy of said item XI of said will is hereto annexed as Exhibit B; and

That the Foundation is custodian for the Grand Lodge of that property devised to the Grand Lodge for the benefit of the "Orphan Asylum at Oxford", now the Oxford Orphanage, hereinafter called the B. F. Moore Legacy, by item XXX of the Last Will and Testament of Bartholomew Figures Moore, which will is recorded in Will Book A, at page 63, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Wake County, a copy of item XXX of said will is hereto annexed as Exhibit C; and

That a grant, hereinafter called the "Taylor Grant Fund", was made to the Grand Lodge by a letter from an anonymous person, dated February 13, 1947, and a copy of said letter is hereto annexed as Exhibit D; and

That the Foundation is authorized and empowered to execute this instrument, by virtue of its Charter and has full and complete custody, power, authority and control of all matters pertaining to the assets of the Grand Lodge Permanent Fund, and, subject to the restrictions contained in Exhibits B, C and D has full and complete custody, power, authority and control of all matters pertaining to the assets of the Drewry Memorial Grand Secretary's Fund, the B. F. Moore Legacy, and the Taylor Grant Fund; and

That the Trustee is duly authorized and empowered to exercise trust powers and to do and transact fiduciary business within the State of North Carolina; and

That the Foundation has determined to create four (4) or more separate and distinct funds, which shall be administered by the Trustee upon the uses and trust and for the purposes hereinafter set forth.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises, the Foundation and the Trustee agree as follows:

1. The Foundation has, in such capacity as it may be serving any of the separate funds herein provided for or any funds hereafter cre-

ated in accordance with this Agreement, designated the Trustee as its Trustee for the purpose of receiving, holding, and investing and reinvesting and the said funds, heretofore or hereafter created for the use and benefit of the Foundation, the Grand Lodge, and any subordinate lodge under the jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge, of any charitable cause supported by the Foundation, the Grand Lodge, or any subordinate lodge under the jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge; and all additions and accretions made thereto by donation, gifts, contributions, bequests or otherwise; maintaining, managing, and administering the same, and distributing the net income of the separate funds as hereinafter provided, until otherwise directed by the Foundation:

(a) The net income of the Permanent Fund shall be distributed semi-annually to the Foundation to be disbursed by it for such purposes as the Foundation determines proper, in accordance with its Charter and by-laws. The Trustee shall have no duty to see to the application of income distributed to the Foundation.

(b) The net income from the Drewry Memorial Grand Secretary's Fund shall be distributed semi-annually to the Foundation for distribution by the Foundation in accordance with Item XI of of the Last Will and Testament of John C. Drewry, Sr. The Trustee shall have no duty to see to the application of income distributed to the Foundation.

(c) The net income of the B. F. Moore Legacy shall be distributed semi-annually to the Foundation, for transmission to the "Orphan Asylum at Oxford, North Carolina," now the "Oxford Orphanage, Incorporated" to be used "for the support and education of the orphans of the said asylum," as directed by Item XXX of the Last Will and Testament of Bartholomew Figures Moore. The Trustee shall have no duty to see to the application of the income distributed to the Foundation.

(d) The net income from the Taylor Grant Fund shall be accumulated and invested and reinvested in accordance with the terms of the gift of the anonymous donor of the said fund unless the Foundation shall direct otherwise. The Trustee shall pay to the Foundation such amounts of the income or principal of said fund as the Foundation shall direct, in writing. The Trustee shall have no duty to see to the application of the income or principal distributed to, or in accordance with the direction of the Foundation.

2. The Trustee is authorized to receive donations, gifts, contributions, legacies, and/or bequests from the Foundation, from its officers, or any governing body or agency thereof, from the Grand Lodge, from any subordinate lodge under the jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge, from members of the Grand Lodge or any subordinate lodges under its jurisdiction, and/or from any other person or persons, whether individuals or corporations and such property, whether real or personal, and/or mixed and whether securities or cash, as the Foundation, donor, grantor, contributor, or testator may direct, and any and all additions or accretions thereto shall form a part of the trust under the terms of this Agreement; all of which property so received by the Trustee is to be held for the use and benefit of the Foundation and for the purposes for which the said Foundation is organized; those funds which are received, with restrictions or limitations as to the use or investment of principal or income or are to be designated as permanent memorials to the donor or to some other person shall be identified as separate and distinct funds; and those funds received without restrictions or limitations as to the use or investment of principal or incme shall become a part of the Permanent Fund.

3. The Trustee is further authorized to hold, manage, and invest and reinvest such funds and every part thereof; to collect, recover, and receive the rents, interests, issues, dividends and income thereof, (all herein referred to as income), and until otherwise directed by the Foundation, after deducting all proper and lawful charges and expenses, to pay over the net income as provided in paragraph 1 above, and to continue the payment of income as herein provided until it shall be directed otherwise by the Foundation.

4. The Trustee is hereby authorized and empowered as long as it may deeem it advisable to do so, (exercising the same amount of prudence and judgment as required for paragraph 5 hereof), to retain in the same form in which it is received, any and all property, whether real or personal, at any time constituting an asset of any of the funds herein created or hereafter created, or if in its judgment, it deems it advisable to do so, to sell and convey any such property either real or personal upon such terms and at such times as it may deem advisable, and to invest, reinvest the proceeds of any such sale in the manner provided in paragraph 5 hereof. The Trustee is further authorized to cause all real and personal property, including stocks and bonds, (except bearer bonds) of corporations to be transferred to and/or registered in the name of the Trustee, or its nominee, or to hold the same unregistered and in such form as will pass by delivery; to vote upon,, or consent with respect thereto, any stock at any time subject hereto, in person or by proxy, discretionary or otherwise, at all meetings of stockholders or otherwise, upon any and all matters whatsoever, whether ordinary or extraordinary in character; to pay out of the principal of each of the said separate funds all assessments, subscriptions and other sums such as the Trustee may deem expedient for the protection of the interest of of the Trustee as the holder of any stock or any properties subject thereof; if deemed advisable so to do, to exercise any option contained in any securities for the conversion of the same into other securities, to take advantage of any rights to subscribe for stock or other securities, and to make any and all necessary payments therefor; to sell such rights as it deems to be in the best interest of the said funds. The said Trustee is further authorized and empowered to lease and rent any real estate, forming a part of either the said funds, upon such terms and conditions and for such period of time, as it, in its judgment, deems best for the best interest of the said funds; to sue for and recover the possession of any real estate so leased and rented; to extend or renew the time of payment of any mortgage or encumbrance upon any real estate which shall be conveyed to it under this agreement; to sell, transfer, mortgage, convey, and to improve, repair or rebuild any real estate so coming into its possession at such time and upon such terms and conditions as it may in its judgment deem for the best interest of the fund, and to invest and reinvest the proceeds of sale as herein provided in paragraph 5.

5. The Trustee is authorized and empowered, in the case of sales or other dispositions of property, real or personal, constituting a part of either of the funds or any part thereof, to invest and to reinvest the proceeds of such sale or sales and to invest and reinvest any cash at any time constituting an asset of any of said funds or a part thereof, in such investments and only such investments as a prudent man would make of his own property having primarily in view the preservation of the estate and the amount and regularity of the income to be derived, all in accordance with the laws of the State of North Carolina and the decisions of its Supreme Court; provided, however, that no participation or fractional or split interest in mortgage pool or in single mortgages shall be purchased; and provided further, that if any instrument or writing evidencing any gift, devise, bequest or donation

shall make provisions as to property or securities in which the same may be invested, the Trustee shall be furnished with a copy of the said instrument or writing, and shall, as to the property, real or personal, conveyed by the said instrument or writing be bound by the terms thereof.

6. The Foundation represents that it has the power to execute this agreement, and agrees to deliver to the Trustee a copy of each and every will, trust, deed or other instrument which requires creation of a separate fund hereunder, and to inform the Trustee of any facts or information known to the Foundation which will in any manner modify the terms of the Agreement. The Foundation represents that copies of all such instruments, and all facts known to the Foundation with respect thereto, have been disclosed to the Trustee. The Foundation agrees to notify the Trustee, contemporaneously with delivery of any asset or fund hereinafter added to the Trust concerning all facts known to the Foundation, and the Trustee shall add all funds or assets hereafter delivered to the Trustee to the Permanent Fund, unless the Foundation shall otherwise instruct the Trustee. The Foundation agrees to save the Trustee harmless from any and all liability the Trustee may incur by its acts or omissions taken or omitted in reliance upon the representations of the Foundation and requirements imposed upon the Foundation by the terms of this Agreement.

7. In the event that any mortgage or deed of trust upon any real or personal property, held by the Trustee at any time under the terms hereof shall be delinquent, and if the Trustee shall deem it advisable and necessary to foreclose the same or subject the property to the payment thereof, Trustee may make such settlement with the mortgagor or mortgagors, trustor or trustors as it shall deem best in its best judgment, for the best interest of the particular fund, taking in the poperty so mortgaged in the payment of the debts, under such terms and conditions and for such considerations as the Trustee, in its judgment, shall deem best. This action may be taken without foreclosure proceedings. Likewise, it may when it deems best, proceed to foreclose any such mortgages or other securities and upon such sales the Trustee may bid in such property for the benefit of this trust for such amount as it shall deem for the best interest of the particular fund and may pay such bid by the cancellation of the mortgage debt to the amount of such bid, without in any manner becoming liable to the particular fund or the Foundation or to anyone else upon such bid.

8. Notwithstanding any other provisions of this instrument, the Trustee shall not purchase, sell or otherwise acquire or dispose of any property or security without first obtaining the written or verbal consent of a majority of the members of the Investment Committee of the Foundation, unless there shall be some emergency need for action and the members of the said Committee cannot be contacted or unless the Investment Committee shall have delegated to it auhority to make temporary or short term investments or dispositions thereof of uninvested cash without such approval. If such emergency shall arise, the Trustee shall notify the Committee in writing of its action at the earliest possible date. The Foundation agrees to deliver to the Trustee, under the signature of the Secretary of the Foundation, the names and addresses of the members of the Investment Committee of the Foundation, together with a specimen of the signatures of such members, and the Trustee may rely on the last such notice furnished until the Secretary of the Foundation shall deliver to the Trustee a notice of change in membership of the Investment Committee of the Foundation. The provisions of this paragraph 8 shall apply, as herein set out, to the

duties of the Trustee as between the Foundation and the Trustee; however, no person dealing with the Trustee need require any evidence of the approval of any purchase, sale, other acquisition or disposition of property, real or personal, constituting an asset of any of the funds, herein or hearafter created, but such persons may rely solely upon the signature of the proper officers of the Trustee that it has obtained the requisite consent of the Investment Committee of the Foundation. The Trustee's liability shall be solely to the Foundation, in the event it fails to obtain the requisite consent.

9. With respect to the investments of the Permanent Fund, the Trustee shall be limited only by the terms of this Trust, and it shall be only so limited, except as expressly provided by the terms of the instruments creating the Drewry Memorial Grand Secretary's Fund; the B. F. Moore Legacy; and the Taylor Grant Fund, and by such other trust instruments, copies of which are delivered to the Trustee, creating future memorial funds, as provided in paragraph 2 above. The limitations of the Trustee with respect to the three memorial funds now in existence are as follow:

(a) As to the Drewry Memorial Grand Secretary's Fund, the Board of Trustees of the said fund have empowered the Foundation to invest the said funds as herein provided, and the Foundation agrees to save the Trustee harmless from any liability it may incur by complying with the terms of this instrument relative to the investment of the Drewry Memorial Grand Secretary's Fund.

(b) The B. F. Moore Legacy Fund shall be invested in a United States Government Bond or bonds or other securities guaranteed by the United States Government or agencies thereof and as otherwise expressly directed by the Foundation, and the Trustee shall have no duty concerning the Investment or reinvestment of the said fund, except at the express direction of the Foundation.

(c) The Taylor Grant Fund and the income therefrom which is to be accumulated as above provided, shall be "invested and reinvested in securities legal for savings banks."

(d) As provided elsewhere in this Agreement, any other fund or funds hereinafter created and added to this trust as separate funds shall be invested and reinvested in the manner provided by the instrument creating each said fund.

10. The Trustee is authorized in the discharge of its duties, to employ counsel and agents and to determine and pay them reasonable compensation out of the income derived from the particular fund they were employed to represent and to pay out of the income received from each separate fund, any and all taxes which are now or hereafter properly may become payable from time to time under the laws of the United States, or any state, county or municipality upon any of the said funds of income therefrom, or for the transfer thereof, or upon transactions effecting the same, and to affix and cancel tax stamps in accordance with the provisions of law.

11. Except as otherwise provided in Paragraphs A and B hereof, all corporate liquidating distributions and all extraordinary distributions payable in cash, in stock (be it that of the corporation declaring the same or another corporation), or in property other than cash or cash or stock shall be deemed principal. All other distributions shall be deemed to be income. The Trustee, shall, in its absolute and uncon-

trolled discretion determine whether any corporate distribution is or is not extraordinary or liquidating in nature.

(a) Notwithstanding anything hereinbefore to the contrary, the Trustee, may in its absolute and uncontrolled discretion, allocate in part or in whole to income any corporate distribution which would otherwise be allocated to principal, if, in its opinion, the purposes of this trust would be better served by making such allocation to income.

(b) Notwithstanding anything herein before to the contrary, the Trustee, shall also, in its absolute and uncontrolled discretion, determine whether or to what extent capital gains dividends declared by investment companies, mutual funds, and the like shall be allocated to principal or to income.

12. In the event any of the monies or properties deposited by the Foundation with the Trustee as a part of this trust are received by the Foundaton under a will or other instrument containing limitations or restrictions applicable to the bequest or gift which are inconsistent with the authorizations and powers conferred upon the Trustee by this agreement; the said authorization and powers contained in this agreement shall be inapplicable insofar as they are inconsistent with the will or instrument applicable to the devise, bequest or gift, and upon being furnished with a copy of the particular will or other instrument, that it will be governed by the terms thereof applicable to the bequest or gift including the setting up of separate and distinct accounts subscribed with the name of the donor so that the gift may consitute a permanent memorial, if the donor has expressed a wish that this be done; provided, however, that all such bequests and gifts subject to such restrictions or limitations shall at all times constitute a part of the trust and shall be managed by the Trustee in accordance with all the provisions of this Agreement not in conflict with the terms of the will or other instrument creating the bequest or gift; and provided further, that the Trustee may, at its option, refuse to accept any property which may be governed by any particular instrument or provisions other than this Agreement.

13. The Foundation represents that no part of the Permanent Fund has been received by any gift, devise or bequest in conflict with the general terms hereof, and that the assets of the permanent Fund are those assets described in Exhibit E hereto annexed. The Foundation represents to the Trustee that the terms of Item XI of the Last Will and Testament of John C. Drewy, Sr., are the only known provisions limiting in any way the investment of the Drewry Memoral Grand Secretary's Fund, and the Trustee agrees to be bound by the terms thereof, and that the assets of the Drewry Memoral Grand Secretary's Fund are those assets described in Exhibit F hereto annexed. The Foundation represents to the Trustee that the terms of Item XXX of the Last Will and Testament of Bartholomew Figures Moore are the only known provisions limiting the invesment of the B. F. Moore Legacy, and the Trustee agrees to be bound by the terms thereof, and that the assets of the Moore Legacy are described in Exhibit G hereto annexed. The Foundation represents to the Trustee that the terms of the anonymous letter dated February 13, 1947 are the only known provisions limiting the investment of the Taylor Grant Fund, and the Trustee agrees to be bound by the terms thereof, and that the assets of the Taylor Grant Fund are described in Exhibit H hereto annexed.

14. In the event any of the monies or properties deposited by the Foundation with the Trustee as a part of the trust were received by the

Foundation, as Trustee or in any other fiduciary capacity, under the terms of a will or the instrument creating the bequest or gift, the deposit by the Foundation with the Trustee under the terms of this instrument shall be deemed to be the exercise by the Foundation of its discretionary powers as Trustee or in other fiduciary capacities and the liability of the Trustee to the Foundation with respect to the said monies or properties so deposited shall be as defined in this instrument and shall be an addition to the liability of the Foundation, as Trustee or in some other fiduciary capacity, which shall be defined by the terms of the will or other instrument creating the original trust; such monies or properties deposited subject to an existing trust shall at all times constitute a part of this trust but shall be set up as separate sub-accounts so that they may at all times be identifiable; provided, however, that the Trustee, may, at its option, refuse to accept any property which may be governed in any particular by any instrument or provisions other than this Agreement. The terms of this paragraph shall also apply to the various sub-accounts provided by the terms of this instrument.

15. The fiscal year of the Foundation begins on January 1 and ends on December 31 of each year. The Trustee agrees with the foundation that it will faithfully and honestly fulfill and discharge all duties hereby imposed upon it; and agrees to render detailed annual reports of the account, and each sub-account thereunder, together with such general consolidated report governing all accounts combined, together with such additional reports as may be required for such additional accounts hereafter added under the terms of this instrument. Such reports will be a true and complete statement of the income received by the Trustee and the disposition made thereof, and an inventory of the assets held in the trust and each sub-account at the close of business of each year. The Trustee agrees that any auditor designated by the Foundation to audit the account shall have access to the books, papers, and documents of the trust annually or at any other time the Foundation may designate, provided that said books, papers and documents shall not be required to be available other than during the regular business hours of the Trustee.

16. The Foundation will pay to the Trustee, as its agent and trustee for the purposes set forth in this agreement, five (5%) of the annual gross income received by the Trustee on the first Ten Thousand ($10,000) Dollars annual income, including the income of all sub-accounts combined, and two and one-half (2½) percent of the gross annual income, including the income of all sub-accounts combined, above Ten Thousand ($10,000) Dollars; said payments to be retained semi-annually (or as otherwise agreed to by the Foundation) by the Trustee from the income of the Trust. The Trustee shall unless otherwise directed by the Foundation, charge all such expenses to the income of the Permanent Fund and shall not be required to pro rate the expenses among the several sub-accounts created hereunder.

17. The Trustee may at any time resign and be discharged as Trustee of the Foundation by executing an instrument in writing specifying the dates when such resignation shall take effect, and by mailing the same by registered mail addressed to the Foundation at its principal place of business, 2921 Glenwood Avenue, Raleigh, North Carolina, at least thirty (30) days (or such shorter time as may be accepted by the Board of Directors of the Foundation as adequate) before such resignation is to take effect, such resignation so mailed shall take effect on the date specfied in such instrument and upon rendering a just and true account to such date; all of the principal of the said

trust, and each sub-account thereunder, in the hands of the Trustee, together with any and all accumulated income therefrom shall be paid over, transferred, and delivered to the Foundation.

18. The Foundation may at any time, upon thirty (30) days notice, modify, amend, cancel, or annul this Agreement, in whole or in part, and revoke or alter or change any and all powers given to the Trustee by this instrument. Such modification, amendment, cancellation, revision or annulment of said Agreement, shall be in writing and signed by the President and Secretary of the Foundation accompanied by a certified copy of their authority so to do, duly adopted by the Board of Directors of the said corporation, said notice to be delivered personally or mailed by registered mail to the Trustee; and in the event this Agreement is wholly cancelled, or annulled, the Trustee shall thereafter render a report covering all funds and property of the trust, and each sub-account, in writing to the Foundation, and the Auditor of the Foundation may audit the books and accounts of the Trustee pertaining to the said funds, and each sub-account thereunder, and as and when the auditor has approved the reports, the Trustee shall transfer and deliver all of the principal of the said fund, and each sub-account thereunder in its hands, together with all accumulated income therefrom to the Foundation. The Foundation agrees to secure the prior consent of the Trustee to any proposed modification of this Trust Agreement, and it is understood that, in the event the Foundation makes or proposes any modifications under the terms of this Agreement, of the responsibilities of the Trustee hereunder shall be unsatisfactory to the Trustee, then the Trustee may resign and be discharged as Trustee in accordance with the provisions of Paragraph 17 hereof.

19. Any corporation into which the Trustee or any successor may be merged or with which it or any successor of it, may be consolidated, or any corporation resulting from any merger and consolidation in which the Trustee or its successor shall be a part, shall be the Trustee under this Agreement.

20. The Trustee shall, upon the direction of the Board of Directors of the Foundation deliver to the Foundation any particular asset, or a portion thereof, constituting the principal of this trust and by delivering the same to the Foundation and obtaining its receipts therefor, the Trustee shall be discharged from all liability with respect to assets so delivered.

21. In the administration of this Trust, the Trustee shall incur no liability for any action taken or omitted by it in good faith and it is expressly released from, and will be protected and saved harmless by the Foundation against and from liability from any loss or depreciation in value of the Trust property which may be sustained for any reason except gross negligence or willful misconduct on its part. The Foundation further agrees to save the Trustee harmless against and from any and all loss or depreciation in value of trust property which may be sustained on account of any purchase, sale, retention, disposition or other action taken by the Trustee in reliance upon the written or verbal advice, consent or directions of a majority of the Investment Committee of the Foundation, or upon any omission of the Trustee, to act on account of any failure or refusal of a majority of the Investment Committee of the Foundation to approve and purchase, sale, retention, disposition or other action advised by the Trustee.

22. This Agreement is to be governed by and is to be construed with reference to the laws of the State of North Carolina. The Trustee is authorized to perform and do any and all acts and things which it, in sole discretion, many deem necessary in the premises to protect, preserve and further the interest of the several funds created hereunder.

The Trustee may do and perform such acts, upon its own initiative, or may require the advice and consent of the Foundation with respect thereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, The North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Incorporated, has caused this Agreement to be signed in quadruplicate by its duly authorized officers and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed and First-Citizens Bank and Trust Company, Trustee, has caused this instrument to be signed by its duly authorized officers and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed.

This 17th day of December. 1963.

NORTH CAROLINA MASONIC FOUNDATION, INC.
By WATSON N. SHERROD, *President*

Attest:
CHARLES A. HARRIS, *Secretary*

FIRST-CITIZENS BANK AND TRUST CO., TRUSTEE
By J. A. MCALLISTER, *Vice-President and Trust Officer*

Attest:
H. M. PERRY, *Assistant Secretary*

FINAL REPORT OF THE BOARD OF GENERAL PURPOSES

(Docket No. 61)

The report of the Board of General Purposes was read and adopted by sections, then adopted as a whole, including the election of members of the Board of Directors of Oxford Orphanage, Incorporated, and the Masonic and Eastern Star Home of North Carolina, Incorporated:

To The Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Board of General Purposes has held regular meetings pursuant to the provisions of THE CODE, such meetings having been held on June 14, 1963; September 13, 1963; January 10, 1964; March 13, 1964; and April 21, 1964.

The June, September, January, and March meetings were held in the Grand Lodge Office Building in Raleigh, and the April 21, 1964 meeting held in the Queen Charlotte Hotel, Charlotte.

At each meeting of the Board, reports were made by the Grand Master, the Grand Treasurer, the Grand Secretary, the Chairman of the Finance Committee, the President of the North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Inc., and by other members of the Board of General Purposes relative to the various activities of the Grand Lodge.

At the meeting on April 21, 1964, action was taken relative to the distribution of the Report of the Grand Master, the several sections of the same being referred to the appropriate Board, Committee or Commission.

ELECTION OF MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF OXFORD ORPHANAGE, INCORPORATED

Pursuant to the provisions of Regulation 33-04, as amended April 22, 1953, the Board nominates the following members of the Board of Directors of the Oxford Orphanage, Inc.: G. Dudley Humphrey, *Grand Master-elect;* Sam A. Hennis, Jr., *Deputy Grand Master-elect;* Arnold J. Koonce, Sr., *Senior Grand Warden-elect;* Charles H. Pugh, P.G.M.; William J. Bundy, P.G.M.; and Ralph O. Hood (530).

(NOTE: The nominations were *unanimously* confirmed by the Grand Lodge.)

ELECTION OF MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE MASONIC AND EASTERN STAR HOME OF NORTH CAROLINA, INCORPORATED

Pursuant to the provisions of Regulation 33-04, as amended April 22, 1953, the Board nominates the following members of the Board of Directors of the Masonic and Eastern Star Home of North Carolina, Inc.: G. Dudley Humphrey, *Grand Master-elect;* Sam A. Hennis, Jr., *Deputy Grand Master-elect;* Arnold J. Koonce, Sr., *Senior Grand Warden-elect;* Alfred A. Kafer, *Junior Grand Warden-elect;* Robert N. Bass, Jr., *Junior Grand Deacon;* Robert L. Pugh, P.G.M.; James

W. Brewer, P.G.M., *Grand Treasurer;* Wilson S. Mitchell, Sr., P.M., (76); Paul A. Jones (289); W. Edward Burrier, P.G.M.; J. Lester Connelly, P.M. (561); and Louis W. Shrier, P.M. (1).

(NOTE: The nominations were *unanimously* confirmed by the Grand Lodge.)

OFFICERS APPOINTED BY THE GRAND MASTER-ELECT

Robert N. Bass, Jr., P.M. ____ *Senior Grand Deacon*
(97) Raleigh

William A. Hooks, P.M., C.L. ____ *Junior Grand Deacon*
(84) Smithfield

Maurice E. Walsh, P.M. ____ *Grand Marshal*
(407) North Wilkesboro

William W. Mims, Jr., P.M. ____ *Grand Steward*
(530) Charlotte

Berl M. Kahn, P.M., C.L. ____ *Grand Steward*
(112) Goldsboro

Fred F. Harding, P.M. ____ *Grand Tyler*
(500) Raleigh

* ____ *Grand Chaplain*

* ____ *Grand Historian*

E. Floyd Dunn, P.M., C.L. ____ *Grand Lecturer*
(550) Aberdeen

* ____ *Grand Orator*

* NOTE: These appointments to be announced later (See Page 8 of these Proceedings for the appointments.)

JUDGE ADVOCATE

The Grand Master-elect nominates M.'.W.'.Brother J. Giles Hudson, P.G.M. (576), to succeed himself as Judge Advocate for a term of two years, expiring in 1966.

(NOTE: The nomination was *unanimously* confirmed by the Grand Lodge.)

BOARD OF GENERAL PURPOSES

The Grand Master-elect nominates M.'.W.'.Brother Charles B. Newcomb, P.G.M., P.G.S., to fill the unexpired term of M.'.W.'.Brother Thomas J. Harkins, P.G.M., expiring in 1966. The Grand Master-elect also nominates M.'.W.'.Brother William J. Bundy, P.G.M. and M.'.W.'.Brother James G. Johnston, P.G.M., as members of the Board of General Purposes, for a term of three (3) years, expiring in 1967.

(NOTE: The nominations were *unanimously* confirmed by the Grand Lodge.)

REPRESENTATIVE TO GEORGE WASHINGTON MASONIC NATIONAL MEMORIAL ASSOCIATION

The Grand Master-elect nominates M.'.W.'.Brother Robert Lee Pugh, P.G.M. (568), to succeed himself as Representative to the George Washington Masonic National Memorial Association.

(NOTE: The nomination was *unanimously* confirmed by the Grand Lodge.)

REPRESENTATIVE TO THE MASONIC SERVICE ASSOCIATION

The Grand Master-elect nominates M.'.W.'.Brother Robert Lee Pugh, P.G.M. (568), to succeed himself as Representative to the Masonic Service Association of the United States and Canada.

(NOTE: The nomination was *unanimously* confirmed by the Grand Lodge.)

BOARD OF CUSTODIANS

The Grand Master-elect will announce later the two appointments as members of the Board of Custodians for terms of (3) years, expiring in 1967.

(NOTE: See Page 10 of these Proceedings for the appointments.)

COMMITTEE ON APPEALS

The Grand Master-elect nominates W.'.Brother Norwood P. Parker, P.M., C.L. (98), as a member of the Committee on Appeals for a term of five (5) years, expiring in 1969.

(NOTE: The nomination was *unanimously* confirmed by the Grand Lodge.)

DREWRY MEMORIAL GRAND SECRETARY'S FUND

The Grand Master-elect will announce later his two appointments as members of the Drewry Memorial Grand Secretary's Fund.

(NOTE: See Page 10 of these Proceedings for the appointments.)
ments.)

DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTERS

The Grand Master-elect appointed fifty-seven (57) District Deputy Grand Masters to serve the fifty-seven (57) Masonic Districts for the year 1964-65.

(NOTE: For list of District Deputy Grand Masters appointed, see Page 14 of these Proceedings.)

GRAND MASTER WILLIAM EDWARD BURRIER

Masonry in North Carolina during the past year has enjoyed one of its mountain-top experiences. Its growth has been commendable and its spirit has soared to new heights of inward satisfaction.

Much of this progress has been due to the magnificent manner in which our Grand Master, Most Worshipful William Edward Burrier, has carried the thrilling message of the Craft to the brethren throughout the State. He has been tireless in his energy and has endeared himself to Masons through his incomparable and dynamic leadership. He has visited the lodges everywhere and has made our brethren more militantly conscious of the tremendous potential in the priceless jewel of Masonry.

Not only has his indefatigable zeal impelled him to cover the State with the challenge that he fervently desired the brethren to accept, but he has also most ably represented the Grand Lodge of North Carolina in contacts with other grand lodges. He has visited many of them and his charming personality has woven a beautiful pattern of the highest and best relationship with them. Many grand

lodges this year have come into close contact with the virtues and influence of North Carolina Masonry through the magnetism and charm of our Grand Master and this commendable relationship is most desirable and beneficial.

His successful year is now almost ended. As we close the curtain to indicate the conclusion of activities in what has been one of North Carolina's most exciting Masonic dramas, we would express our deepest appreciation to our Grand Master for the excellent manner in which he has supported and elevated Masonic standards in all of his contacts. As he surrenders the gavel of authority to his successor, we would have him know that our prayers are for his continued health and prosperity and for every possible success in his future endeavors. Perhaps the words of the Holy Scripture are most appropriate: "Well done, good and faithful servant!"

Respectfully submitted,

G. DUDLEY HUMPHREY, *Deputy Grand Master*
SAM A. HENNIS, JR., *Sr. Gr. Warden*
ARNOLD J. KOONCE, SR., *Jr. Gr. Warden*
JAMES W. BREWER, P.G.M., *Grand Treasurer*
CHARLES A. HARRIS, P.G.M., *Grand Secretary*
WILLIAM J. BUNDY, P.G.M.
CHARLES B. NEWCOMB, P.G.M.
WATSON N. SHERROD, P.G.M.
ROBERT L. PUGH, P.G.M.
JAMES G. JOHNSON, P.G.M.
CHARLES H. PUGH, P.G.M.

REMARKS BY DISTINGUISHED GUESTS

During the sessions of the Grand Lodge, the Grand Master recognized and presented the following distinguished guests, each of whom responded with a brief but interesting message:

M.'.W.'.Ernest L. Poyner, Grand Master of Masons in Maryland; M.'.W.'.Colin B. Montis, Grand Master of Masons in Ohio; M.'.W.'. Raymond M. Rideout, Grand Master of Masons in Maine; W.'.John D. Cunningham, former Executive Secretary of the Masonic Service Association; W.'.William C. Edmunds, Chief Field Agent for the Masonic Service Association; M.'.W.'.Newton S. Bacon, Grand Master of Masons in Michigan; M.'.W.'.William H. Cantwell, Past Grand Master of Masons in Delaware; M.'.W.'.Martin H. Kinsinger, Past Grand Master of Masons in Maryland; M.'.W.'.Archer B. Gay, Past Grand Master of Masons in Virginia and Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge of Virginia; and R.'.W.'.Clyde E. Flowers, Deputy Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Indiana.

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

The following Officers of the Grand Lodge were duly installed by M.'.W.'.Brother W. Eli Hand, P.G.M., acting as Grand Master, assisted by M.'.W.'.Brother William J.

Bundy, P.G.M., Acting Grand Marshal; W.˙.Brother Nathan W. Humphrey, P.M. (1), acting as assistant Grand Marshal; and W.˙.A. D. Leon Gray, P.M. (122), Acting Grand Chaplain:

Grand Master----------George Dudley Humphrey, P.M. (1) Wilmington

Deputy Grand Master----------Sam Andrew Hennis, Jr., P.M. (322) Mount Airy

Senior Grand Warden----------Arnold Jackson Koonce, Sr., P.M. (716) High Point

Junior Grand Warden----------Alfred Albrecht Kafer, Jr., P.M. (3) New Bern

Grand Treasurer----------James Woodrow Brewer, P.G.M. (708) Greenville

Grand Secretary----------Charles Anderson Harris, P.G.M (113) Raleigh

Senior Grand Deacon----------Robert Norman Bass, Jr., P.M. (97) Raleigh

Junior Grand Deacon----------William Arthur Hooks, P.M., C.L. (84) Smithfield

Grand Marshal----------Maurice Elledge Walsh, P.M. (407) North Wilkesboro

Grand Steward----------William Watson Mims, Jr., P.M. (530) Charlotte

Grand Steward----------Berl Maurice Kahn, P.M., C.L. (112) Goldsboro

Grand Tyler----------Fred Farley Harding, P.M. (500) Raleigh

PRESENTATION OF PAST GRAND MASTER'S APRON TO THE GRAND MASTER

A Past Grand Master's Apron was presented to M.˙.W.˙.Brother George Dudley Humphrey, Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, by M.˙.W.˙.Brother W. Eli Hand, P.G.M.

INSTALLATION REMARKS OF M.˙.W.˙.GEORGE DUDLEY HUMPHREY

Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

Most Worshipful Brother Hand, My Brethren of The Grand Lodge of North Carolina, and our Distinguished Visiting Brethren:

It is with a feeling of pride, and yet humility, that I now stand before you as your Grand Master. I appreciate all of the kindness, the good wishes and the help that so many of my beloved Brethren

have given me, that I know without it, I could not now be occupying this position. On April 22, 1959, five years ago this evening, I was installed as Steward in this Grand Lodge. Every moment that I have been in office as a Line Officer has been a pleasure to me. It has involved some work but I want to tell you frankly, Brethren, it is a lot more satisfying to be a Grand Lodge Line Officer than it is to be the Judge Advocate and to fill that office for almost ten years. You have some heartaches in that office, and I was glad to get away from it for a while. I know that it is customary for your new Grand Master to make remarks as to what he proposes doing during his administration. I wish to say that I have heard it said by many, many men on many, many occasions as to what Masonry needs to make it more effective. We need more men in Masonry, it has been said, but I am firmly of the opinion that if we want to enhance the reputation of the Fraternity, that what it needs, and the only thing we need, is to get more Masonry in men who are already in Masonry. Let our every act, our every deed confound that admonition that we were given when we were receiving the degrees, that we should preserve the reputation of the Fraternity unsullied, and that we should let our acts and deeds bear witness by precept and example to the tenets of the institution. So it is with that thought in mind, my Brethren, that I issue to you and to each of you and to the sixty odd thousand Masons in North Carolina, to join with me during the coming year and make a pledge that we will rededicate our lives to Masonic principles which have been taught to us, and that by brotherly love, charity, truth, we can accomplish a purpose which our Fraternity is intended to perform, and that we will at the end of this year, if we see it through, be better men, better fathers, better husbands, better sons and better friends. Because it is the spirit of friendship, it is the joyful relationship that we have together that we can work and accomplish these purposes. I am only different now from what I was an hour ago by virtue of the collar which you have placed upon my shoulders and the hat which you have authorized me to wear. Brethren, I know it will be a tremendous task, but that task can be made easier and can be accomplished if I have the support of each and every one of you, which I know you will be so willing to give. And it is with this sentiment that I say, thank you my Brethren, for giving me the opportunity to serve you.

PRESENTATION OF JOSEPH MONTFORT MEDAL W.'.JOHN D. CUNNINGHAM

M.'.W.'.Brother G. Dudley Humphrey, Grand Master, presented the Joseph Montfort Medal for Distinguished Service to Masonry to W.'.Brother John D. Cunningham, former Executive Secretary of the Masonic Service Association.

(W.'.Brother Cunningham accepted the Medal with a few brief words of appreciation.)

PAST GRAND MASTER'S JEWEL PRESENTED TO M.'.W.'.WILLIAM EDWARD BURRIER

Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

A Past Grand Master's Jewel was presented to M.'.W.'. Brother William Edward Burrier, P.G.M., by M.'.W.'. Brother James W. Brewer, P.G.M., Grand Treasurer.

M.'.W.'.JAMES W. BREWER, P.G.M., *Grand Treasurer*:

Most Worshipful Grand Master, Distinguished Guests and Brethren:

Our Most Worshipful Past Grand Master of a few minutes, M.'. W.'.Brother William Edward Burrier, having labored in the vineyards during the hours of heat; having been a servant of his Brethren; and having abided by the principles of Freemasonry, has given the Grand Lodge of North Carolina an outstanding year. For such services there is no monetary value that we could place within his hands tonight, but we can show our love and affection by presenting him this beautiful Past Grand Master's Jewel, which I am sure he will wear with honor to the Craft. As he goes out into the Eternal Time of the Past Grand Masters and as he awaits tomorrow, his days will not be as busy as the last 365 have been, but his love for you, the members of the Craft, will be no less. For he is a Brother who has been tried and has proven himself worthy of the love and respect of the members of the Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina, and I am happy to present him this Past Grand Master's Jewel with the love and affection of the 64,000 Masons of this "Grand Old North State," North Carolina. (APPLAUSE)

(M.'.W.'.Brother Burrier accepts the Jewel with a few brief words of appreciation.)

DIRECTOR OF THE NORTH CAROLINA MASONIC FOUNDATION, INC.

(Docket No. 62)

M.'.W.'.Brother Charles A. Harris, P.G.M., Grand Secretary, nominated M.'.W.'.Brother Watson N. Sherrod, P. G.M. (447), to succeed himself as a member on the Board of Directors of The North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Inc., for a period of five (5) years, expiring in 1969. The nomination was duly seconded, and there being no further nominations, M.'.W.'.Brother Watson N. Sherrod was duly *elected.*

REPORT OF THE GRAND MASTER'S COMMITTEE ON DEMOLAY

(Docket No. 63)

The following report of the Grand Master's Committee on DeMolay was received and entered on the record:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Grand Lodge Committee has attended approximately twenty-two DeMolay meetings this year, including the State Conclave, Council of Deliberation, Grand Masters Class, district meetings and have met with the representatives from the DeMolay headquarters in Kansas City, and we find that DeMolay in North Carolina is growing and is something that Masonry can be proud of.

It is recommended that the Grand Lodge continue their donation of $500.00 to the North Carolina State Association.

We would like to take this opportunity to express our appreciation to the dedicated group of Masons, the Advisors, who are giving their time, talent and money to help and further the Order of DeMolay in North Carolina.

In our opinion Masonry thru DeMolay, is producing the most important product today, our future Citizens and future Leaders of tomorrow.

The following is a brief reviewing of DeMolay activities in North Carolina for 1963:

Since the concept of DeMolay was conceived by Frank S. Land in 1919 nearly three million young men have knelt before the altar and pledged themselves to the ideals of the order. These include 4 U.S. Senators, 150 Congressmen, 9 Governors, 14 Generals, and more than 130 33° Masons.

The main purposes of DeMolay are the building of better citizens and creating leaders through the development of character in young men. The youth movement bolsters a boy's character by emphasizing the virtues of comradeship, reverence, love of parents, patriotism, courtesy, cleanness, and fidelity. The entire program of a DeMolay Chapter revolves about these seven cardinal principles. DeMolay does not attempt to take the place of the home, church, or school, but rather to supplement them with a supporting program of teaching good citizenship to its members.

As the DeMolay movement has spread throughout the world, North Carolina has assumed its rightful position of leadership and responsibility. Although there is already a DeMolay Chapter in almost every good sized community in the state, a continuous drive is underway to make the ideals and opportunities of the Order available to every eligible young man from Manteo to Murphy. The coordination and execution of this expansion program is just one of the responsibilities of the State Association. Others include:

State Conclave—The Conclave is a four-day state convention held in August of each year. Its activities include the election of state officers, business meetings, Sweetheart competition, degree competition, Flower Talk competition, athletic competition, social activities, and various other special features. The Conclave is one of the highlights of the DeMolay year and is an invaluable experience in meeting, leading and working with other high caliber young men from across the state.

DeMolay Week—This is the week that each chapter carries out a strong program of activities and publicity in order to inform the

public of the purposes and work of the Order. The State Association coordinates the work of the individual chapters and promotes the week on the state level.

Service Projects—Two annual service projects are carried out by the State Association. These are a trip to Oxford Orphanage and a Christmas carol sing and visit to the Masonic and Eastern Star Home. A feature of the latter trip is the distribution of boxes of stationery as DeMolays personally visit the residents of the home. The work of the State Association in such projects as these as well as in the coordination of the activities of the various chapters is essential to the strength and growth of the movement. However, its real backbone is the work of the individual chapters.

Every strong chapter in the state carries out a full program of widely varied activities. None of them, however, is more meaningful to DeMolays or DeMolay good will than the program of service projects. Although these projects are carried out throughout the year, there are six "obligatory days" which chapters must observe—The Sunday nearest March 18, is Devotional Day; the nearest convenient day to June 14 is Patriot's Day; a day around Christmas or Thanksgiving is Day of Comfort; a convenient day in April is Education Day; the Sunday preceding November 21 is Parent's Day; a day of the chapter's choosing is Government Day. Some typical projects for the observance of these days, or just as chosen chapter projects are—

Collections for Medical Research—Many chapters throughout the state including Burlington, Durham, Thomasville, and Gastonia frequently collect for such causes as the Heart Fund and the March of Dimes. The Winston-Salem Chapter recently collected $550 for these two particular funds. Other chapters have made outright contributions.

Needy Families—Almost every chapter in North Carolina provides food, clothing, and toys for needy families. Last year the Durham Chapter joined forces with the local Rainbow Chapter and provided twelve large boxes of food and six boxes of clothes and toys which were distributed among three families. A number of chapters also carry out a similiar project at Thanksgiving.

Service to School—The Burlington Chapter recently painted their high school recreation room. Durham has cleaned up their parking lot, and Statesville plans to present a new flag to their high school.

Service to Hospitals—The Asheville Chapter does volunteer work at a hospital every weekend. Gastonia donated a wheel chair to the North Carolina Orthopedic Hospital, and Thomasville sponsored a blood donation drive. Many other chapters make frequent visits to hospitals and rest homes.

Safety Campaign—The Thomasville Chapter puts a badly wrecked car in some public place every holiday weekend as an ominous warning to motorists. Another activity in this vein is the washing of windshields on parked cars and leaving safety literature under the wipers.

Service During Elections—Many chapters sponsor a "get out the vote" campaign. They frequently follow these up with the project of removing old election posters from trees and telephone poles.

Miscellaneous—Most chapters perform various services such as keeping the temple grounds, for their sponsoring bodies. The Burlington Chapter recently washed all the city's police cars and carried out a civil defense campaign. Thomasville cleaned up a city park. Williamston has a gospel team which performs church services for numerous organizations upon request.

These projects, and many more like them, have a twofold purpose. They serve the community today; they teach DeMolays to serve their country and the world tomorrow.

Respectfully submitted,
SHUTT HARTMAN, *Chairman*

GRAND LODGE CLOSED IN AMPLE FORM

The minutes were read and approved. Prayer was offered by W.·.Brother A. D. Leon Gray, Acting as Grand Chaplain, and the Grand Lodge was closed in AMPLE FORM.

Grand Master

ATTEST:

I certify that the foregoing Proceedings are a true and correct record of the official transactions of The Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of North Carolina, at a Communication held April 21-22, 1964, and that they were prepared by me from the detailed minutes of that Communication, and were published under my supervision.

Charles A. Harris

Grand Secretary

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"Building The Temple of King Solomon" by
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Donated By
M.·.W.·.Harvey Ward Smith
Past Grand Master

PETITION FOR DISPENSATION TO FORM A NEW LODGE

To the Most Worshipful Grand Master of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons in North Carolina:

The undersigned petitioners, being Master Masons, having the prosperity of the fraternity at heart, and willing to exert their best endeavors to promote and diffuse the genuine principles of Freemasonry, and for the convenience to their respective dwellings and for other good reasons respectfully represent: That they are desirous of forming a new lodge at [illegible] in the County of [illegible] (which is [illegible] miles from [illegible]), the nearest lodge in this Grand Jurisdiction; said lodge to be named [illegible], which is not the name of any living person.

They, therefore, pray for a dispensation to empower them to assemble as a regular lodge, to discharge the duties of Masonry in a regular and constitutional manner according to the ancient forms of the Order and the Regulations of the Grand Lodge.
They have nominated, and do hereby recommend, Brother [illegible] to be the first Master, Brother [illegible] to be the first Senior Warden, and Brother [illegible] to be the first Junior Warden of the said lodge.

If the prayer of this petition shall be granted, they promise a strict conformity to the edicts of the Grand Master, and to the Constitution and laws of the Grand Lodge.

Dated at [illegible], N. C., this [illegible] day of [illegible], A.D. 19[illegible], A.L. 59[illegible]

Respectfully submitted,

Name	Lodge	No.	Location

PETITION FOR DISPENSATION OF
TWIN COUNTY LODGE

The Grand Lodge
of
Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons
of
NORTH CAROLINA
By The Most Worshipful Grand Master

To All and Every Our Worshipful and Loving Brethren—Greeting:

KNOW YE, That the Most Worshipful---WILLIAM EDWARD BURRIER ----, Grand Master, at the humble petition of our well beloved Brethren ROSCOE LEE ALLSOP, ELMO ELSWORTH BATTLE, LARRY WATSON BATTLE, JAMES THOMAS BUFFALOE, BERNARD COLUMBUS BURNETTE, WILLIAM RUBY BURNETTE, LONNIE EDWARD CROOM, TURNER ELLIS FELTON, TANDY WALKER FITTS, JR., WILLIAM WALTON GRAY, JAMES FRANKLIN KING, JR., LOUIS BRYAN LANE, FRANK HUNTER MARKS, THOMAS NOBLE McGEE, JR., CLYDE HILTON MURRAY, JAMES CLAYTON PARDUE, JAMES EDWARD PARKER, LUTHER TURNER PEELE, LOUDOLPH CARL POWELL, WILLIAM THOMAS POWELL, JR., BEN EDWARD SAMPLES, JR., ALFRED JOHN SCHMITT, JR., ODELLE GERALD SEARCY, JAMES CLAUDE STIDFOLE, MAURICE JEFFERSON STOKES, BERNARD HAROLD TAYLOR, FRANK DANIEL TURNER, ERNEST JUSTICE WARD, JR., WILLIAM ROY WHITEHURST, JAMES KENNETH WHITFIELD, FRANCIS LEONARD YOST,

of the Ancient and Honorable Fraternity of Freemasons, and for certain other reasons, moving our Most Worshipful Grand Master, doth hereby constitute the said brethren into a regular lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, to be opened at ----ROCKY MOUNT ----- in the County of --------- N A S H --------------- by the name of ---T W I N C O U N T Y ------. At their said request, and from the great trust and confidence reposed in each of the said brethren, the Most Worshipful Grand Master doth hereby appoint ------- MAURICE JEFFERSON STOKES --------------, Master, ---------------FRANCIS LEONARD YOST -----------, Senior Warden, and -------WILLIAM ROY WHITEHURST ----------- , Junior Warden, for opening the said lodge and governing the same until the first annual communication of the Grand Lodge after the date of this dispensation.

It is required of our Friend and Brother ----- MAURICE JEFFERSON STOKES ------ to take special care that all and every of the said brethren of the said lodge, as well as those hereafter to be admitted into our body by said lodge, be regularly made Masons; and that they do and observe and keep all the Constitution, Regulations, and laws of our Grand Lodge, and that the Ancient Landmarks be strictly attended to; and further, that he do cause to be entered in a book kept for that purpose, an account of the proceedings of said lodge which, when done, is to be transmitted to the Grand Lodge with a list of those initiated, passed, and raised, and otherwise disposed of under his authority.

Given at ---- Charlotte --------, North Carolina, under the hand of the Most Worshipful Grand Master, and the Great Seal of Masonry, this ----Twenty-Second ----------- day of --July ------, A. D. 19 6 3 A. L. 596 3.

W. Edward Burrier, Grand Master

Attest: Charles A. Harris
Charles A. Harris, P. G. M., Grand Secretary

DISPENSATION ISSUED TO
TWIN COUNTY LODGE U. D.

N. C. OFFICIAL FORM 7

PETITION FOR A CHARTER

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina:

The subscribers hereto respectfully represent that, on the Twenty-Second day of July, A.D. 19 63; A.L. 59 63, a dispensation was issued by the Most Worshipful Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina for the establishment of a new lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, at ROCKY MOUNT ---- in the County of --------- NASH -----------, by the name of -- T W I N C O U N T Y ------- Lodge, and that said lodge has worked regularly since that time as appears from the transcript of its records, by-laws, and returns herewith presented.

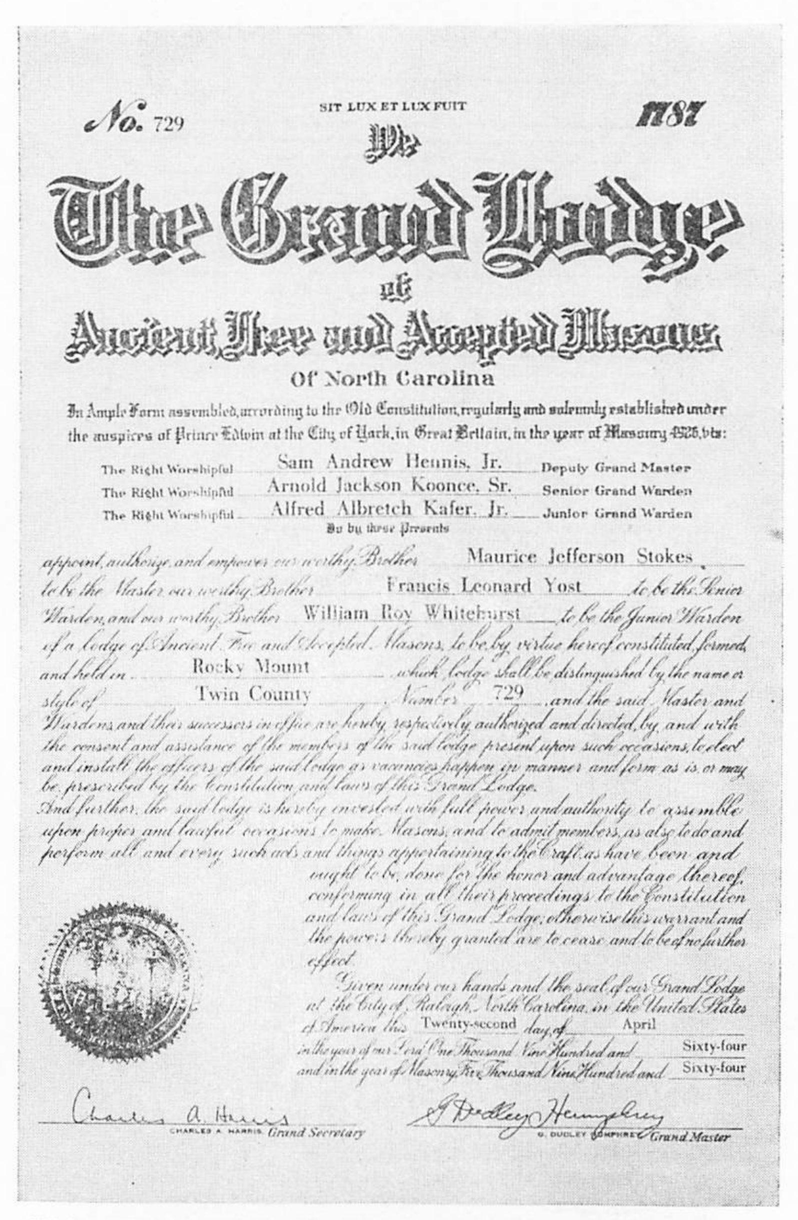
They, therefore, now pray that a charter be granted to the said lodge, with the following officers, to-wit:
Brother -- MAURICE JEFFERSON STOKES -------, Master; Brother ---- FRANCIS LEONARD YOST --------, Senior Warden, and Brother ---- WILLIAM ROY WHITEHURST -----, Junior Warden. And they do promise, as heretofore, a strict conformity to the edicts of the Grand Master, and to the Constitution and laws of the Grand Lodge.

Given under our hands on this the Thirty-first-- day of March, A.D. 19 64; A.L. 59 64.

Respectfully submitted,

MAURICE JEFFERSON STOKES	JAMES EDWARD PARKER
WILLIAM ROY WHITEHURST	WILLIAM THOMAS POWELL, JR.
JAMES CLAUDE STIDFOLE	LONNIE EDWARD CROOM
WILLIAM WALTON GRAY	FRANK DANIEL TURNER
COELLE GERALD SEARCY	BERNARD HAROLD TAYLOR
THOMAS NOBLE McGEE, JR.	ROSCOE LEE ALLTOP
ELMO ELSWORTH BATTLE	JAMES THOMAS BUFFALOE
CLYDE HILTON MURRAY	ALFRED JOHN SCHMITT, JR.
MARION CLINTON SHREVE	LUTHER TURNER PEELE
LARRY WATSON BATTLE	WILLIAM RUBY BURNETTE
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ROY LEE FULCHER	BERNARD HAROLD TAYLOR, JR.
COYTE ROSCOE MINGES	ROBERT JAMES HALL
JAMES FRANKLIN KING, JR.	LOUIS BRYAN LANE
JAMES CLAYTON PARDUE	BERNARD COLUMBUS BURNETTE
TURNER ELLIS FELTON	FRAK HUNTER MARKS

PETITION FOR CHARTER FOR
TWIN COUNTY LODGE U. D.



No. 729 SIT LUX ET LUX FUIT 1787

We

The Grand Lodge

of

Ancient Free and Accepted Masons

Of North Carolina

In Ample Form assembled, according to the Old Constitution, regularly and solemnly established under the auspices of Prince Edwin at the City of York, in Great Britain, in the year of Masonry 4926, viz:

The Right Worshipful Sam Andrew Hennis, Jr. Deputy Grand Master
The Right Worshipful Arnold Jackson Koonce, Sr. Senior Grand Warden
The Right Worshipful Alfred Albretch Kafer, Jr. Junior Grand Warden

Do by these Presents

appoint, authorize, and empower our worthy Brother Maurice Jefferson Stokes to be the Master, our worthy Brother Francis Leonard Yost to be the Senior Warden, and our worthy Brother William Roy Whitehurst to be the Junior Warden of a Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, to be, by virtue hereof constituted, formed, and held in Rocky Mount which Lodge shall be distinguished by the name or style of Twin County Number 729, and the said Master and Wardens and their successors in office are hereby respectively authorized and directed, by and with the consent and assistance of the members of the said Lodge present upon such occasions, to elect and install the officers of the said Lodge as vacancies happen in manner and form as is or may be prescribed by the Constitution and laws of this Grand Lodge.

And further, the said Lodge is hereby invested with full power and authority to assemble upon proper and lawful occasions to make Masons, and to admit members, as also to do and perform all and every such acts and things appertaining to the Craft, as have been and ought to be, done for the honor and advantage thereof, conforming in all their proceedings to the Constitution and laws of this Grand Lodge; otherwise this warrant and the powers thereby granted are to cease and to be of no further effect.

Given under our hands and the seal of our Grand Lodge at the City of Raleigh, North Carolina, in the United States of America this Twenty-second day of April in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-four and in the year of Masonry Five Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-four

Charles A. Harris — CHARLES A. HARRIS Grand Secretary

G. Dudley Humphrey — G. DUDLEY HUMPHREY Grand Master

CHARTER ISSUED TO TWIN COUNTY LODGE NO. 729

PETITION FOR DISPENSATION TO FORM A NEW LODGE

To the Most Worshipful Grand Master of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons in North Carolina:

The undersigned petitioners, being Master Masons, having the prosperity of the fraternity at heart, and willing to exert their best endeavors to promote and diffuse the genuine principles of Freemasonry, and for the convenience to their respective dwellings and for other good reasons respectfully represent: That they are desirous of forming a new lodge at ---- STEDMAN ---------- in the County of CUMBERLAND (which is [illegible] miles from [illegible], the nearest lodge in this Grand Jurisdiction), said lodge to be named -------- S-T-E-D-M-A-N ----------, which is not the name of any living person.

They, therefore, pray for a dispensation to empower them to assemble as a regular lodge, to discharge the duties of Masonry in a regular and constitutional manner according to the ancient forms of the Order and the Regulations of the Grand Lodge.

They have nominated, and do hereby recommend, Brother ---------- JOHN ROBERT BRYANT ------------ to be the first Master, Brother -- ELDRIDGE HAZEL CASHWELL ----- to be the first Senior Warden, and Brother ---- HAYWOOD BENSON SMITH, JR. ---- to be the first Junior Warden of the said lodge.

If the prayer of this petition shall be granted, they promise a strict conformity to the edicts of the Grand Master, and to the Constitution and laws of the Grand Lodge.

Dated at --- [illegible] ----------, N. C., this Seventh day of September, A.D. 19 , A.L. 59

Respectfully submitted,

Name	Lodge	No.	Location	
Ira Lowe Vinson	Roseboro	585	Roseboro,	North Carolina
Jesse Willard Hall	Roseboro	585	Roseboro,	North Carolina
John Henry Averitte	Creasy Proctor	679	Fayetteville,	North Carolina
Horace Obed Barefoot	Mill Creek	125	Newton Grove,	North Carolina
John Carson Faircloth, Jr.	Fort Bragg	667	Fort Bragg,	North Carolina
Charlie Nixon	Meridian Sun	26	Griffin,	Georgia
Harley Wilson Bullard	Proctorville	643	Proctorville,	North Carolina
Johnnie Franklin Fields	Roseboro	585	Roseboro,	North Carolina
Jerry Westbrook McCall	Roseboro	585	Roseboro,	North Carolina
Eldridge Hazel Cashwell	Fort Bragg	667	Fort Bragg,	North Carolina
Joseph Ownby Davis	South River	411	Autryville,	North Carolina
George Neal McCall	Roseboro	585	Roseboro,	North Carolina
John Robert Bryant	Phoenix	8	Fayetteville,	North Carolina
Oscar Earnest Faircloth	Roseboro	585	Roseboro,	North Carolina
Marvin Elwood Faircloth	Phoenix	8	Fayetteville,	North Carolina
James Bonner Hubbard	Creasy Proctor	679	Fayetteville,	North Carolina
Henry Alexander Williams	Phoenix	8	Fayetteville,	North Carolina
Haywood Benson Smith, Jr.	Creasy Proctor	679	Fayetteville,	North Carolina
Emmett Carlton Johnson	Phoenix	8	Fayetteville,	North Carolina
Kermit Durant Pruitt	Kennesaw	33	Marietta,	Georgia
Archie Brafford West	Creasy Proctor	679	Fayetteville,	North Carolina
Walter Marion Bullard	Roseboro	585	Roseboro,	North Carolina
Homer Case Taylor	Roseboro	585	Roseboro,	North Carolina
Robert J. Miller	Lebanon	207	Whiteville,	North Carolina
Harold Frank Shirley	Fort Bragg	667	Fort Bragg,	North Carolina
Ottis Johnson Bedsole	Creasy Proctor	679	Fayetteville,	North Carolina

PETITION FOR DISPENSATION
STEDMAN LODGE

The Grand Lodge
of
Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons
of
NORTH CAROLINA

By The Most Worshipful Grand Master

To All and Every Our Worshipful and Loving Brethren—Greeting:

KNOW YE, That the Most Worshipful WILLIAM EDWARD BURRIER , Grand Master, at the humble petition of our well beloved Brethren JIM HENRY AVERITTE, HORACE OBED BAREFOOT, OTTIS JOHNSON BEDSOLE, JOHN ROBERT BRYANT, HARLEY WILSON BULLARD, WALTER MARION BULLARD, ELDRIDGE HAZEL CASHWELL, JOSEPH ONSBY DAVIS, JUDGE CARSON FAIRCLOTH, JR., MARVIN ELWOOD FAIRCLOTH, OSCAR EARNEST FAIRCLOTH, JOHNNIE FRANKLIN FIELDS, JESSE WILLARD HALL, JAMES BONNER HUBBARD, EMMITT CARLTON JOHNSON, GEORGE NEAL McCALL, JERRY WESTBROOK McCALL, ROBERT J. MILLER, CHARLIE NIXON, KERMIT DURANT PRUITT, HAROLD FRANK SHIRLEY, HAYWOOD BUNYAN SMITH, JR., HOMER CASE TAYLOR, IRA LOVE VINSON, ARCHIE BRAFFORD WEST, and HENRY ALEXANDER WILLIAMS

of the Ancient and Honorable Fraternity of Freemasons, and for certain other reasons, moving our Most Worshipful Grand Master, doth hereby constitute the said brethren into a regular lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, to be opened at ----- STEDMAN ------ in the County of ------- C U M B E R L A N D ------ by the name of ------- S-T-E-D-M-A-N -----------. At their said request, and from the great trust and confidence reposed in each of the said brethren, the Most Worshipful Grand Master doth hereby appoint --------- JOHN ROBERT BRYANT -----------------, Master, --------- ELDRIDGE HAZEL CASHWELL --------------, Senior Warden, and ----- HAYWOOD BUNYON SMITH, JR. -----------, Junior Warden, for opening the said lodge and governing the same until the first annual communication of the Grand Lodge after the date of this dispensation.

It is required of our Friend and Brother ------JOHN ROBERT BRYANT, ------------- to take special care that all and every of the said brethren of the said lodge, as well as those hereafter to be admitted into our body by said lodge, be regularly made Masons; and that they do and observe and keep all the Constitution, Regulations, and laws of our Grand Lodge, and that the Ancient Landmarks be strictly attended to; and further, that he do cause to be entered in a book kept for that purpose, an account of the proceedings of said lodge which, when done, is to be transmitted to the Grand Lodge with a list of those initiated, passed, and raised, and otherwise disposed of under his authority.

Given at -----Charlotte --------, North Carolina, under the hand of the Most Worshipful Grand Master, and the Great Seal of Masonry, this ----- Sixteenth ----------- day of September ---, A. D. 1963; A. L. 5963.



W. Edward Burrier, Grand Master

Attest: Charles A. Harris
Charles A. Harris, Grand Secretary

DISPENSATION TO STEDMAN LODGE U. D.

Petition for a Charter

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina:

The subscribers hereto respectfully represent that, on the Sixteenth day of September, A.D. 19 63, A.L. 59 63, a dispensation was issued by the Most Worshipful Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina for the establishment of a new lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, at ---- STEDMAN ---- in the County of ------ CUMBERLAND ----------, by the name of -------S T E D M A N--------- Lodge, and that said lodge has worked regularly since that time as appears from the transcript of its records, by-laws, and returns herewith presented.

They, therefore, now pray that a charter be granted to the said lodge, with the following officers, to wit:

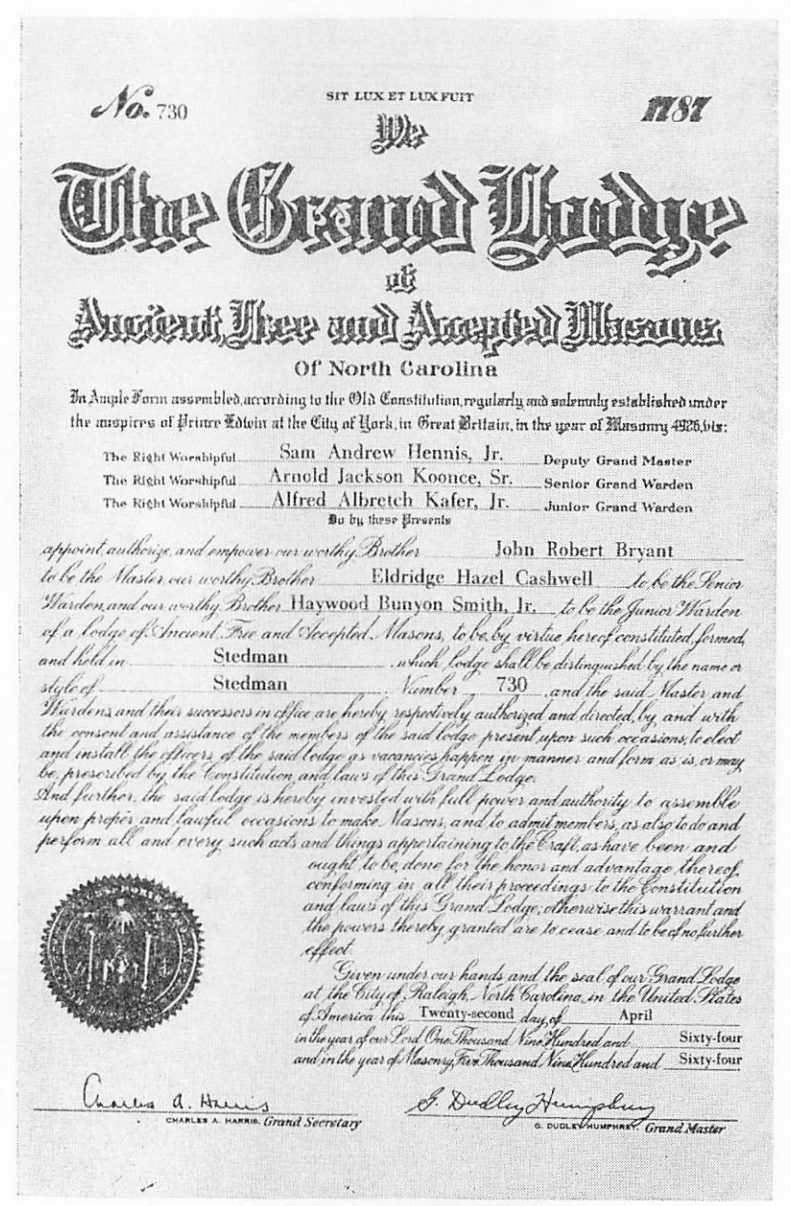
Brother ------JOHN ROBERT BRYANT---------- Master, Brother ----ELDRIDGE HAZEL CASWELL -------- Senior Warden; and Brother ------- HAYWOOD BUNYAN SMITH, JR. -- Junior Warden. And they do promise, as heretofore, a strict conformity to the edicts of the Grand Master, and to the Constitution and laws of the Grand Lodge.

Given under our hands on this the Thirty-first-- day of -- March -----, A.D. 19 64, A.L. 59 64.

Respectfully submitted

JOHN ROBERT BRYANT
ELDRIDGE HAZEL CASWELL
HAYWOOD BUNYAN SMITH, JR.
HENRY ALEXANDER WILLIAMS
OSCAR EARNEST FAIRCLOTH
WILLIE PAUL MANESS
ROBERT J. MILLER
JIM HENRY AVERETTE
HORACE OBED BAREFOOT
JOSEPH AUSBY DAVIS
JOHNNIE FRANKLIN FIELDS
WALTER MARION BULLARD
CHARLIE NIXON
LAURICE VENDELL HUBBARD
ELREE PITTMAN HORNE
HARLEY WILSON BULLARD
GEORGE NEILL McCALL
WILLIAM WESLEY AUTRY
ANDREW DURWOOD RILEY
JESSE WILLARD HALL
KERMIT DURANT PRUITT
ROLAND GRANT HALL
EMMETT E. FISHER
JAMES BONNER HUBBARD
HAROLD FRANK SHIRLEY
CHARLES LUTHER SMITH
FRANKLIN DELANO WEST
HOMER CASE TAYLOR
ARCHIE BRAFFORD WEST
DONALD LANE COOPER
IRA LOVE VINSON
JERRY WESTBROOK McCALL
JUDGE CARSON FAIRCLOTH, JR.
EMMITT CARLTON JOHNSON
OTTIS JOHNSON BEDSOLE
FOSTER LEROY JONES
ARCHIE CLAY FIELDS
MARVIN ELWOOD FAIRCLOTH

PETITION FOR CHARTER FOR STEDMAN LODGE U. D.



No. 730 SIT LUX ET LUX FUIT 1787

We

The Grand Lodge

of

Ancient Free and Accepted Masons

Of North Carolina

In Ample Form assembled, according to the Old Constitution, regularly and solemnly established under the auspices of Prince Edwin at the City of York, in Great Britain, in the year of Masonry 4926, viz:

The Right Worshipful Sam Andrew Hennis, Jr. Deputy Grand Master
The Right Worshipful Arnold Jackson Koonce, Sr. Senior Grand Warden
The Right Worshipful Alfred Albretch Kafer, Jr. Junior Grand Warden

Do by these Presents

appoint, authorize, and empower our worthy Brother John Robert Bryant to be the Master, our worthy Brother Eldridge Hazel Cashwell to be the Senior Warden, and our worthy Brother Haywood Bunyon Smith, Jr. to be the Junior Warden of a Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, to be, by virtue hereof constituted, formed, and held in Stedman which lodge shall be distinguished by the name or style of Stedman Number 730, and the said Master and Wardens and their successors in office are hereby respectively authorized and directed, by and with the consent and assistance of the members of the said lodge present upon such occasions, to elect and install the officers of the said lodge as vacancies happen in manner and form as is, or may be, prescribed by the Constitution and laws of this Grand Lodge.

And further, the said lodge is hereby invested with full power and authority to assemble upon proper and lawful occasions to make Masons, and to admit members, as also to do and perform all and every such acts and things appertaining to the Craft, as have been and ought to be done for the honor and advantage thereof, conforming in all their proceedings to the Constitution and laws of this Grand Lodge, otherwise this warrant and the powers thereby granted are to cease and to be of no further effect.

Given under our hands and the seal of our Grand Lodge at the City of Raleigh, North Carolina, in the United States of America this Twenty-second day of April in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-four and in the year of Masonry Five Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-four

Charles A. Harris
CHARLES A. HARRIS, Grand Secretary

G. Dudley Humphrey
G. DUDLEY HUMPHREY, Grand Master

CHARTER ISSUED TO STEDMAN LODGE NO. 730

PETITION FOR DISPENSATION TO FORM A NEW LODGE

PETITION FOR DISPENSATION FOR
JOHN HUSKE ANDERSON LODGE

The Grand Lodge
of
Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons
of
NORTH CAROLINA

By The Most Worshipful Grand Master

To All and Every Our Worshipful and Loving Brethren—Greeting:

KNOW YE, That the Most Worshipful WILLIAM EDWARD BURRIER, Grand Master, at the humble petition of our well beloved Brethren HENRY LONDON ANDERSON, IVA CARLOS ANDERSON, JR., WILBUR FRANKLIN BEARD, PAUL LAWRENCE BLACKWELL, ERNEST SHERIDAN BOSHER, JOHN KINION BOYETTE, EDWIN MAURICE BRASWELL, CHARLES PERRY BRIS-BOIS, JOHN CHARLES BRITT, THOMAS BRADLEY BROWN, JAMES BIZZELL BUNDY, PAUL CURTIS CAMPBELL, JR., ROBERT CECIL CARLYLE, LESTER GRANT CARTER, JR., WARREN HENRY COOLIDGE, CLIFFORD CLEOPHAS DUELL, WARREN HENRY FISCHER, MAURICE FLEISHMAN, WILLIAM EDWARD FLEISHMAN, RAY MAXWELL GEDDIE, JAMES DANIEL GILLIAM, JOHN McNATT GILLIS, GEORGE WASHINGTON GODWIN, WILLIAM RUSSELL GODWIN, JUNE HAYWOOD GOFORTH, GOULD MITCHELL HAMBRIGHT, RUPERT WOMBLE HARRISON, JOHN WILLIAM HENSDALE, GEORGE BURBANK HERNDON, PHILIP OTTERBEIN HOFFER, VIVIAN EDWARD HOLLINSHED, THOMAS ACRILL HOOD, HAYDEN SAMPSON HORNE, CHARLES WALLACE JACKSON, JENNINGS MERLE JOHNSON, SIDNEY EVERETT JOHNSON, JOHN LAWS, FREDERICK MARSHALL LEMMOND, MARVIN CECIL LITTLE, GEORGE WILBUR MARKHAM, MARCUS GEDDIE McKNIGHT, HERSHALL MEREI McLAURIN, ARTHUR THOMAS MOORE, JR., ARTHUR THOMAS MOORE, SR., CLESSON PARROTT MOORE, GERALD CLINTON MUSSELWHITE, JAMES RUPERT NANCE, MAX ELI NANCE, WILLIAM LEE RAMSEY, GILBERT WHITTED RAY, RUSSELL LINWOOD RIVENBARK, WALTER CALVIN SLOVER, KENNETH OWEN SPEARS, RALPH EDWARD SPRINKLE, VERNON LEE SPRUILL, FLETCHER CHARLES THOMAS, RICHARD MURRY THOMAS, WOODROW WILSON THOMAS, ROBERT TYNDALL, GEORGE WILLIAM VOSSLER, and ROMIE FLOYD WILLIAMSON

of the Ancient and Honorable Fraternity of Freemasons, and for certain other reasons, moving our Most Worshipful Grand Master, doth hereby constitute the said brethren into a regular lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, to be opened at --- FAYETTEVILLE ------ in the County of ------- CUMBERLAND -------------- by the name of --JOHN HUSKE ANDERSON --------. At their said request, and from the great trust and confidence reposed in each of the said brethren, the Most Worshipful Grand Master doth hereby appoint ----------JUNE HAYWOOD GOFORTH ---------------- Master,----------- WARREN HENRY COOLIDGE ------------- Senior Warden, and ------THOMAS BRADLEY BROWN ----------------, Junior Warden, for opening the said lodge and governing the same until the first annual communication of the Grand Lodge after the date of this dispensation.

It is required of our Friend and Brother----JUNE HAYWOOD GOFORTH -------------to take special care that all and every of the said brethren of the said lodge, as well as those hereafter to be admitted into our body by said lodge, be regularly made Masons, and that they do and observe and keep all the Constitution, Regulations, and laws of our Grand Lodge, and that the Ancient Landmarks be strictly attended to, and further, that he do cause to be entered in a book kept for that purpose, an account of the proceedings of said lodge which, when done, is to be transmitted to the Grand Lodge with a list of those initiated, passed, and raised, and otherwise disposed of under his authority.

Given at ---- Charlotte ---------, North Carolina, under the hand of the Most Worshipful Grand Master, and the Great Seal of Masonry, this -------Sixteenth ------------ day of September ---A. D. 1963; A. L. 5963

W. Edward Burrier, Grand Master

Attest: Charles A. Harris, Grand Secretary

DISPENSATION ISSUED TO
JOHN HUSKE ANDERSON LODGE U. D.

Petition for a Charter

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina:

The subscribers hereto respectfully represent that, on the [illegible] day of [illegible], A.D. 19[illegible], A.L. 59[illegible], a dispensation was issued by the Most Worshipful Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina for the establishment of a new lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, at [illegible] in the County of [illegible], by the name of [illegible] Lodge, and that said lodge has worked regularly since that time as appears from the transcript of its records, by-laws, and returns herewith presented.

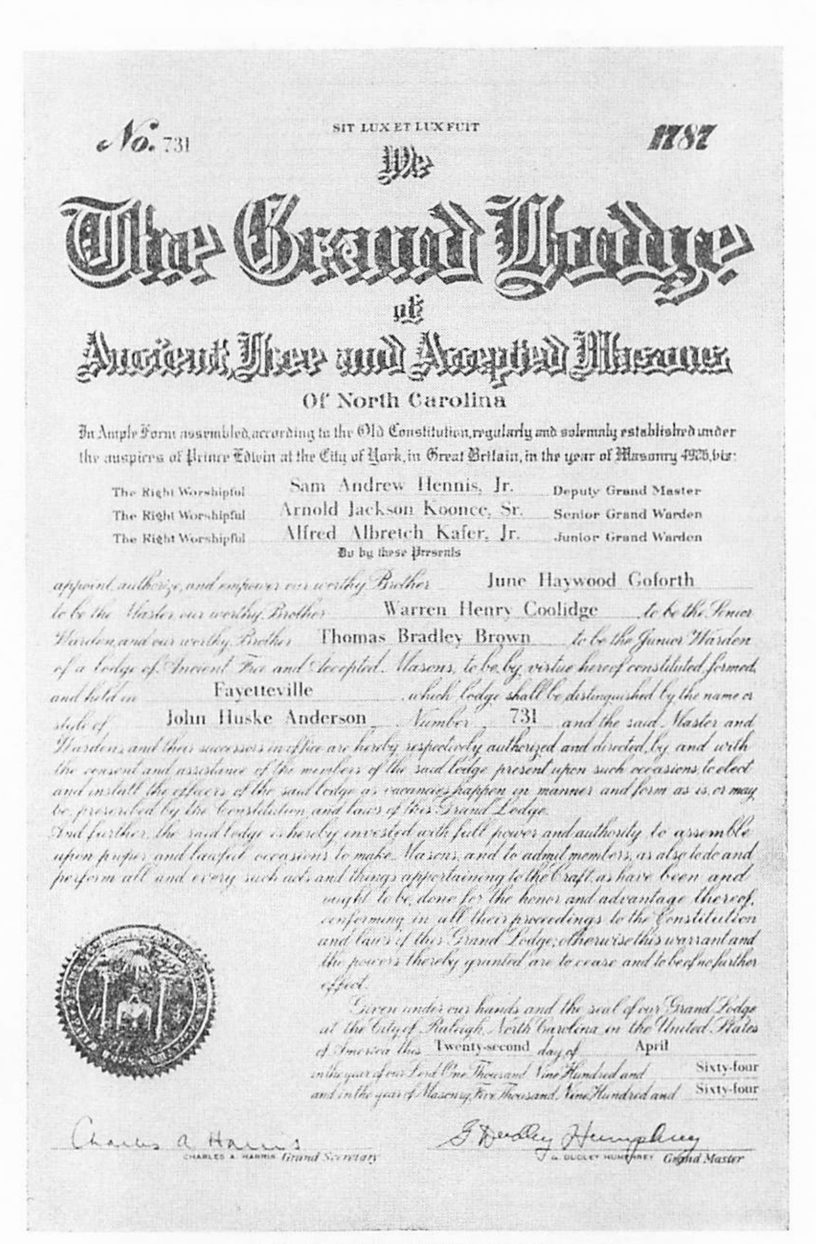
They, therefore, now pray that a charter be granted to the said lodge, with the following officers, to-wit: Brother [illegible], Master; Brother [illegible], Senior Warden, and Brother [illegible], Junior Warden. And they do promise, as heretofore, a strict conformity to the edicts of the Grand Master, and to the Constitution and laws of the Grand Lodge.

Given under our hands on this the Thirty-first day of March, A.D. 19[illegible], A.L. 59[illegible].

Respectfully submitted,

Richard Henry Thomas	Woodrow Wilson Thomas
Thomas Bradley Brown	Clifford Clemmas Duell
George Washington [illegible]	George Burbank Herndon
Fletcher Charles Thomas	Marcus Geddie McKnight
Charles Wallace Jackson	David Clydesdale Lidley
Vivian Edward Hillsboro	James Lester Wilson
John Lincoln Burgett	Sidney Everett Johnson
James Daniel Gilliam	John McNatt Gillis
Marshall Morris McLamb	Rowie Floyd Williamson
Charles Perry Bris-Bois	Vernon Lee Spruill
Paul Lawrence Blackwell	Philip Otterbein Hoffer
Walter Calvin Slover	William Lee Ramsey
Wilson Franklin Beard	Russell Linwood Rivenbark
Thomas Acrill Hood	Ernest Sheridan Bosher, Jr.
Henry Condon Anderson	June H. Sypforth
Maurice Fleishman	Rupert Womble Harrison
Arthur Thomas Moore	Arthur Thomas Moore, Jr.
Ralph Edward Brinkle	Paul Curtis Campbell, Jr.
Warren Henry Fisher	Warren Henry Coolidge
Robert Tyndall	George Burbank Herndon, Jr.
John Lamb	Gerald Mitchell Hambright
John C. Britt	Gerald Clinton Musselwhite
Charles Henry Hambright	Edwin Maurice Braswell
William Russell Gaskin	Max Eli Nance
James Rupert Nance	Gilbert Whitted Ray
Hayden Sampson Horne, Jr.	Marvin Cecil Little
George William Vossler	Robert Cecil Carlyle
Frederick Marshall Lemmond	Iva Carlos Anderson, Jr.
Kenneth Owen Speare	Jennings Merle Johnson
James Bizzell Bundy	William Edward Fleishman
John William Hensdale	Classon Parrott Moore
George Wilbur Markham	Lester Grant Carter, Jr.
Ray Maxwell Geddie	

PETITION FOR CHARTER FOR
JOHN HUSKE ANDERSON LODGE U. D.


No. 731 SIT LUX ET LUX FUIT 1787

We
The Grand Lodge
of
Ancient Free and Accepted Masons
Of North Carolina

In Ample Form assembled, according to the Old Constitution, regularly and solemnly established under the auspices of Prince Edwin at the City of York, in Great Britain, in the year of Masonry 4926, viz:

The Right Worshipful Sam Andrew Hennis, Jr. Deputy Grand Master
The Right Worshipful Arnold Jackson Koonce, Sr. Senior Grand Warden
The Right Worshipful Alfred Albretch Kafer, Jr. Junior Grand Warden

Do by these Presents

appoint, authorize, and empower our worthy Brother June Haywood Goforth to be the Master, our worthy Brother Warren Henry Coolidge to be the Senior Warden, and our worthy Brother Thomas Bradley Brown to be the Junior Warden of a lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, to be, by virtue hereof constituted, formed, and held in Fayetteville which lodge shall be distinguished by the name or style of John Huske Anderson Number 731 and the said Master and Wardens, and their successors in office are hereby respectively authorized and directed, by and with the consent and assistance of the members of the said lodge present upon such occasions, to elect and install the officers of the said lodge as vacancies happen in manner and form as is, or may be, prescribed by the Constitution and laws of this Grand Lodge.

And further, the said lodge is hereby invested with full power and authority to assemble upon proper and lawful occasions to make Masons, and to admit members, as also to do and perform all and every such acts and things appertaining to the Craft, as have been and ought to be, done for the honor and advantage thereof, conforming in all their proceedings to the Constitution and laws of this Grand Lodge; otherwise this warrant and the powers thereby granted are to cease and to be of no further effect.

Given under our hands and the seal of our Grand Lodge at the City of Raleigh, North Carolina, in the United States of America this Twenty-second day of April in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-four and in the year of Masonry Five Thousand, Nine Hundred and Sixty-four

Charles A. Harris
CHARLES A. HARRIS Grand Secretary

G. Dudley Humphrey
G. DUDLEY HUMPHREY Grand Master

CHARTER ISSUED TO
JOHN HUSKE ANDERSON LODGE NO. 731

Petition for Dispensation to Form a New Lodge

To the Most Worshipful Grand Master of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons in North Carolina:

The undersigned petitioners, being Master Masons, having the prosperity of the fraternity at heart, and willing to exert their best endeavors to promote and diffuse the genuine principles of Freemasonry, and for the convenience to their respective dwellings and for other good reasons respectfully represent: That they are desirous of forming a new lodge at ------- ARCHDALE? ------- Acacia Lodge No. 674, Piedmont Lodge No. 681, and Hiram Lodge No. 7??, all located in High Point, N. C., in the County of - GUILFORD? - (which is ... miles from Numa F. Reid Lodge No. 344), the nearest lodge in this Grand Jurisdiction, said lodge to be named ------- BUSH HILL ------- , which is not the name of any living person.

They, therefore, pray for a dispensation to empower them to assemble as a regular lodge, to discharge the duties of Masonry in a regular and constitutional manner according to the ancient forms of the Order and the Regulations of the Grand Lodge.

They have nominated, and do hereby recommend, Brother ---------- ROBERT JONES ROYALS? ---------- to be the first Master, brother ------ CARLIE OSCAR BLAKE ----- to be the first Senior Warden, and Brother ----- WILLIAM CLARENCE JOHNSON ---- to be the first Junior Warden of the said lodge.

If the prayer of this petition shall be granted, they promise a strict conformity to the edicts of the Grand Master, and to the Constitution and laws of the Grand Lodge.

Dated at ------ Archdale? ------ N. C., this - twenty-fifth? - day of November? A.D. 19 [illegible], A.L. 59 [illegible].

Respectfully submitted,

Name	Lodge	No.	Location

PETITION FOR DISPENSATION FOR BUSH HILL LODGE

The Grand Lodge
of
Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons
of
NORTH CAROLINA
By The Most Worshipful Grand Master

To All and Every Our Worshipful and Loving Brethren—Greeting:

KNOW YE, That the Most Worshipful--WILLIAM EDWARD BURRIER ----, Grand Master, at the humble petition of our well beloved Brethren WILLIAM LEE ALBERTSON, REGGIE DALTON AUMAN, CLYDE AYERS, WILLIAM HENRY BELL, CARLIE OSCAR BLAKE, BENTON ASBURY BYRD, ROBERT FRANCIS CUMMINGS, JACOB LAWRENCE DARR, JR., GEORGE IRVING DAWSON, IRA LEE ECHOLS, CARROLL EUGENE GRAHAM, THOMAS OSCAR GRAY, GEORGE EDWIN GRIFFIN, SHELTON CECIL HAMILTON, THELA RUTHERFORD HENDRIX, HERBERT LEE JARRETT, WILLIAM CEBERT JARVIS, ODELL HOWARD JOHNSON, WILLIAM CLARENCE JOHNSON, ALBERT ELIAS KENNEDY, HICKS WILLIAM LANCE, HENRY CLAY McPHERSON, JOHN HOWARD PAYNE, KELLY JENNETT POOLE, JOSEPH GAIL RIDDICK, ROBERT JONES ROYALS, YALE EDWARD SHEPPARD, CLYDE CURTIS STUTTS, EFIRD REICHARDT SULLIVAN, LLOYD HOMER TAYLOR, ROBERT SAMUEL THOMPSON, GERALD WAYNE UNDERWOOD, DELANUL L. WEBSTER, PERCY LATHAM WHITE, CHARLIE SAMUEL WILLYARD and WILEY COLUMBUS WILSON

of the Ancient and Honorable Fraternity of Freemasons, and for certain other reasons, moving our Most Worshipful Grand Master, doth hereby constitute the said brethren into a regular lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, to be opened at ----ARCHDALE ------------- in the County of --------- RANDOLPH --------------- by the name of ---- B U S H H I L L ----------. At their said request, and from the great trust and confidence reposed in each of the said brethren, the Most Worshipful Grand Master doth hereby appoint --------- ROBERT JONES ROYALS -----------------, Master, ------- CARLIE OSCAR BLAKE --------------------, Senior Warden, and -------WILLIAM CLARENCE JOHNSON -----------, Junior Warden, for opening the said lodge and governing the same until the first annual communication of the Grand Lodge after the date of this dispensation.

It is required of our Friend and Brother ----- ROBERT JONES ROYALS ----------- to take special care that all and every of the said brethren of the said lodge, as well as those hereafter to be admitted into our body by said lodge, be regularly made Masons, and that they do and observe and keep all the Constitution, Regulations, and laws of our Grand Lodge, and that the Ancient Landmarks be strictly attended to, and further, that he do cause to be entered in a book kept for that purpose, an account of the proceedings of said lodge which, when done, is to be transmitted to the Grand Lodge with a list of those initiated, passed, and raised, and otherwise disposed of under his authority.

Given at ----Charlotte --------, North Carolina, under the hand of the Most Worshipful Grand Master, and the Great Seal of Masonry, this ---Twenty-ninth --------------day of -- November --, A. D. 19[illegible], A. L. 59[illegible].

W. Edward Burrier, Grand Master



Attest: Charles A. Harris, PGM, Grand Secretary

DISPENSATION ISSUED TO BUSH HILL LODGE U. D.

Petition for a Charter

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina:

The subscribers hereto respectfully represent that, on the Twenty-ninth day of November, A.D. 19 63, A.L. 59 63, a dispensation was issued by the Most Worshipful Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina for the establishment of a new lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, at [illegible] in the County of Randolph, by the name of Bush Hill Lodge, and that said lodge has worked regularly since that time as appears from the transcript of its records, by-laws, and returns herewith presented.

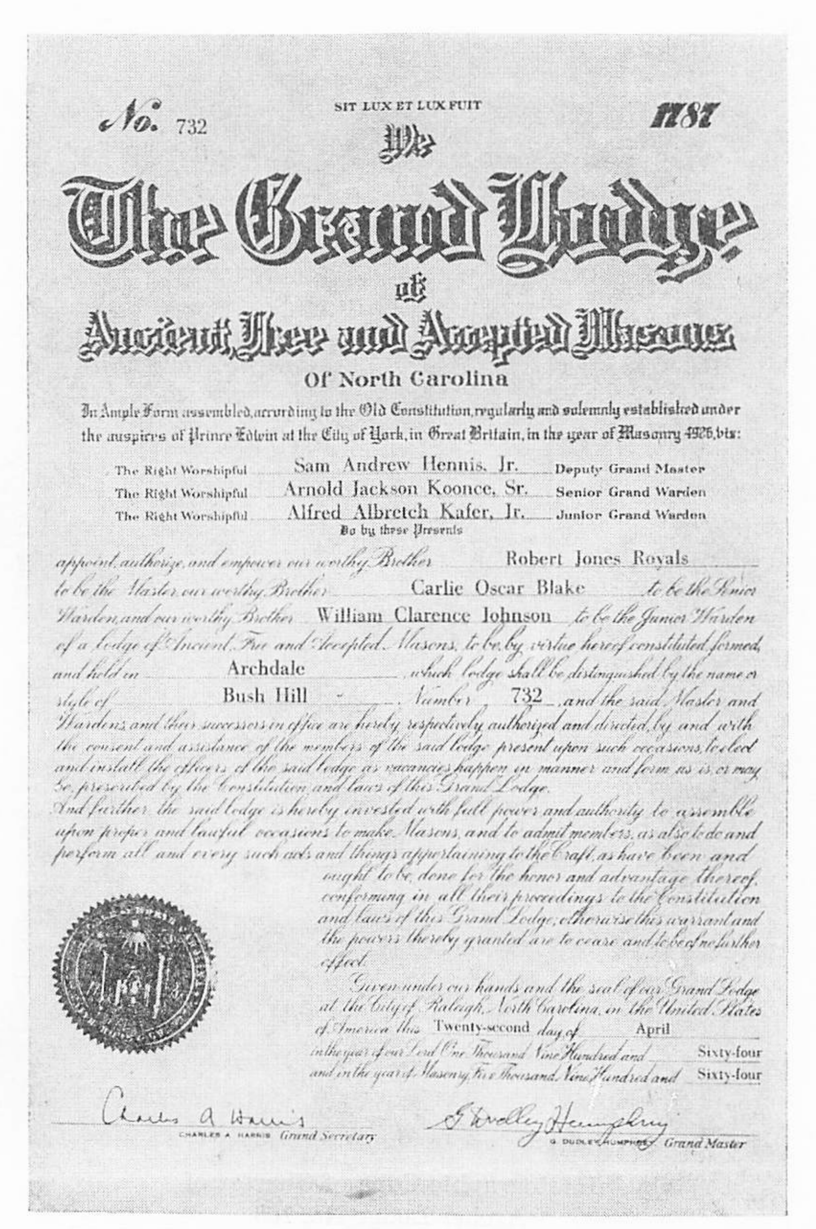
They, therefore, now pray that a charter be granted to the said lodge, with the following officers, to-wit: Brother Robert Jones Royals, Master; Brother Carlie Oscar Blake, Senior Warden; and Brother William Clarence Johnson, Junior Warden. And they do promise, as heretofore, a strict conformity to the edicts of the Grand Master, and to the Constitution and laws of the Grand Lodge.

Given under our hands on this the [illegible] day of [illegible], A.D. 19 64, A.L. 59 64.

Respectfully submitted,

Henry Gray McMahan	Robert Jones Royals
Thela Rutherford Hendrix	Clyde Ayers
Carlie Oscar Blake	William Elbert Jarvis
Wiley Columbus Wilson	William Clarence Johnson
Paul Larry Swiggett	Albert Elias Kennedy
Hicks William Lance	Delanial L. Webster
Thomas Oscar Gray	Robert Edward Gray
Herbert Lee Jarrett	Yale Edward Sheppard
O'Neal Howard Jackson	Clyde Curtis Stutts
Albert George Gates, Jr.	Charlie Samuel Williard
Lloyd Homer Taylor	Ira Lee Eckels
Thela Rutherford Hendrix, Jr.	Arnold Lee Hellig
Larry Yale Sheppard	Billy Ray Foster
David Sidney Underwood	Gerald Wayne Underwood
William Amos Aldridge	Kelly Jennett Poole
George Irving Dawson	Joseph Gail Riddick
Carroll Eugene Graham	Zenith Gregg Hughes
William Lee Albertson	John Lee Hughes
Julius Everet Lambeth	Jacob Lawrence Davis, Jr.
David Lee Frazier	Elrod Archibald Sullivan
Shelton Cecil Hamilton	Reggie Dalton Auman
Robert Francis Cummings	George Edwin Griffin
John Howard Payne	Robert Samuel Thompson
Percy Lanham White	Benton Asbury Byrd
Jesse Royal Richardson	Ray Craig Plummer
Glendon Sherrill Ridenhour	William Henry Bell

PETITION FOR CHARTER FOR
BUSH HILL LODGE U. D.



No. 732

SIT LUX ET LUX FUIT

1787

We

The Grand Lodge

of

Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons

Of North Carolina

In Ample Form assembled, according to the Old Constitution, regularly and solemnly established under the auspices of Prince Edwin at the City of York, in Great Britain, in the year of Masonry 4926, viz:

The Right Worshipful Sam Andrew Hennis, Jr. Deputy Grand Master
The Right Worshipful Arnold Jackson Koonce, Sr. Senior Grand Warden
The Right Worshipful Alfred Albretch Kafer, Jr. Junior Grand Warden

Do by these Presents

appoint, authorize, and empower our worthy Brother Robert Jones Royals to be the Master, our worthy Brother Carlie Oscar Blake to be the Senior Warden, and our worthy Brother William Clarence Johnson to be the Junior Warden of a Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, to be, by virtue hereof constituted, formed, and held in Archdale which Lodge shall be distinguished by the name or style of Bush Hill Number 732 and the said Master and Wardens and their successors in office are hereby respectively authorized and directed, by and with the consent and assistance of the members of the said Lodge present upon such occasions, to elect and install the officers of the said Lodge as vacancies happen in manner and form as is, or may be, prescribed by the Constitution and laws of this Grand Lodge.

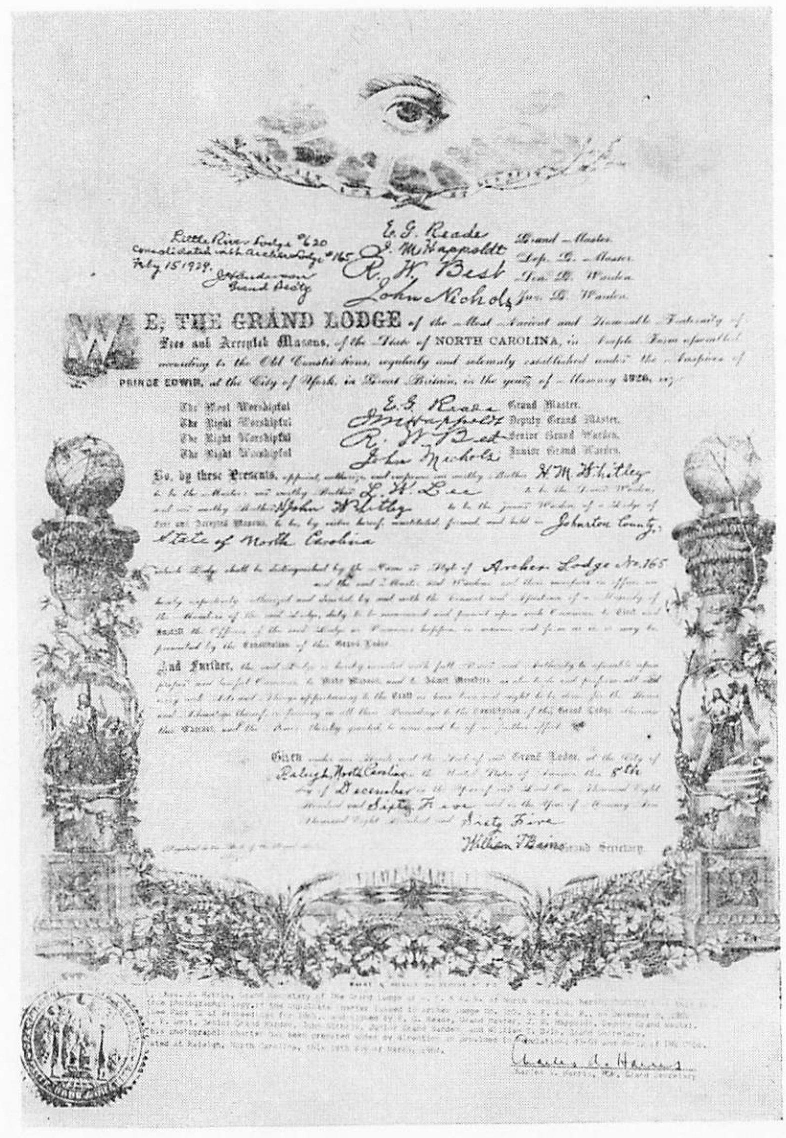
And further, the said Lodge is hereby invested with full power and authority to assemble upon proper and lawful occasions to make Masons, and to admit members, as also to do and perform all and every such acts and things appertaining to the Craft, as have been and ought to be, done for the honor and advantage thereof, conforming in all their proceedings to the Constitution and laws of this Grand Lodge; otherwise this warrant and the powers thereby granted are to cease and to be of no further effect.

Given under our hands and the seal of our Grand Lodge at the City of Raleigh, North Carolina, in the United States of America this Twenty-second day of April in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-four and in the year of Masonry, Five Thousand, Nine Hundred and Sixty-four

Charles A. Harris
CHARLES A. HARRIS Grand Secretary

G. Dudley Humphrey
G. DUDLEY HUMPHREY Grand Master

CHARTER ISSUED TO BUSH HILL LODGE NO. 732



Little River Lodge #620 consolidated with Archer Lodge #165 Feby 15 1939. [illegible] Grand Secty

E. G. Reade Grand Master.
J. McHappoldt Dep. G. Master.
R. W. Best Sen. G. Warden.
John Nichols Jun. G. Warden.

WE, THE GRAND LODGE of the Most Ancient and Honorable Fraternity of Free and Accepted Masons, of the State of NORTH CAROLINA, in Ample Form assembled according to the Old Constitutions, regularly and solemnly established under the Auspices of PRINCE EDWIN, at the City of York, in Great Britain, in the year of Masonry 4926, viz:

The Most Worshipful E. G. Reade Grand Master.
The Right Worshipful J. McHappoldt Deputy Grand Master.
The Right Worshipful R. W. Best Senior Grand Warden.
The Right Worshipful John Nichols Junior Grand Warden.

Do, by these Presents, appoint, authorize and empower our worthy Brother H. M. Whitley to be the Master; our worthy Brother L. H. Lee to be the Senior Warden, and our worthy Brother John Whitley to be the Junior Warden of a Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons, to be, by virtue hereof, constituted, formed and held in Johnston County, State of North Carolina

which Lodge shall be distinguished by the Name or Style of Archer Lodge No. 165 and the said Master and Wardens and their successors in office are hereby respectively authorized and directed, by and with the consent and assistance of a Majority of the Members of the said Lodge, duly to be summoned and present upon such Occasions, to Elect and Install the Officers of the said Lodge as Vacancies happen, in manner and form as is or may be prescribed by the Constitution of this Grand Lodge.

And Further, the said Lodge is hereby invested with full Power and Authority to assemble upon proper and lawful Occasions, to Make Masons, and to Admit Members, as also to do and perform all and every such Acts and Things appertaining to the Craft as have been and ought to be done for the Honor and Advantage thereof; conforming in all their Proceedings to the Constitution of this Grand Lodge, otherwise this Warrant, and the Powers thereby granted to cease and be of no further effect.

Given under our Hands and the Seal of our Grand Lodge, at the City of Raleigh, North Carolina, in the United States of America this 8th day of December in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Five and in the Year of Masonry Five Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Five

William T. Bain Grand Secretary

[illegible]

Charles A. Harris, MA, Grand Secretary

Photographic Copy of Charter of
Archer Lodge No. 165



SIT LUX ET LUX FUIT.

Most Worshipful Robert Strange, Esquire, Grand Master.

TO ALL AND EVERY OUR RIGHT WORSHIPFUL AND LOVING BRETHREN.

WE the Most Worshipful Robert Strange Esquire, Grand Master of the Most Ancient and Honorable Society of Free and Accepted Masons, in the State of North Carolina, SEND GREETING:

Know Ye, [illegible] Elijah A. Rhody Edmund P. Gaskins, William Hutchinson [illegible] Windsor [illegible] LODGE OF FREE AND ACCEPTED MASONS, [illegible] Windsor, by the name of Charity [illegible] Elijah A. Rhody Master, Edmund P. Gaskins, Senior Warden, and William Hutchinson Junior Warden, [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] RALEIGH, [illegible] the 15th Day of December A. L. 5823 A. D. 1823

Robert Strange Grand Master.
Francis L. Hawks D. G. M.
Thomas Clancy S. G. W.
Bazaleel Gillett J. G. W.

ATTESTED.
Alexander J. Lawrence
Grand Secretary.

Photographic Copy of the Charter of Charity Lodge No. 5



No. 92

Sit Lux et Lux Fuit.

Most Worshipful *Hutchins G. Burton,* Grand Master.

TO ALL AND EVERY OUR RIGHT WORSHIPFUL AND LOVING BRETHREN:

WE the Most Worshipful *Hutchins G. Burton,* Grand Master of the Most Ancient and Honorable Society of **FREE AND ACCEPTED MASONS** in the State of **NORTH CAROLINA**, send GREETING:

Given at RALEIGH, under our Hand and Seal of MASONRY, this *20th* day of *January* A. L. 5827 A. D. 1827

H. G. Burton Grand Master

ATTESTED,

Alex J. Lawrence
Grand Secretary.

Geo. E. Spruill S. G. W.

Louis D. Wilson J. G. W.

I, Charles A. Harris, Grand Secretary of The Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of North Carolina, hereby certify that this is a true photographic copy of the Charter of Joseph Warren Lodge No. 92, A. F. & A. M., dated January 20, A. L. 5827, A. D. 1827, and signed by H. G. Burton, Grand Master, Geo. E. Spruill, Senior Grand Warden, Louis D. Wilson, Junior Grand Warden, and attested by Alex J. Lawrence, Grand Secretary.

Dated at Raleigh, North Carolina, this 18th day of November, 1963.

Charles A. Harris
Charles A. Harris, PGM, Grand Secretary

Photographic Copy of the Charter of Joseph Warren Lodge No. 92


No. 113

Lewis S. Williams Grand Master
E. W. Jarvis Dep. G. Master
Jos E. Allen Sen. G. Warden
Chas C. Clark Jun. G. Warden

WE, THE GRAND LODGE of the Most Ancient and Honorable Fraternity of Free and Accepted Masons, of the State of NORTH CAROLINA, in Ample Form assembled, according to the Old Constitutions, regularly and solemnly established under the Auspices of PRINCE EDWIN, at the City of York in Great Britain, in the year of Masonry 4926,

The Most Worshipful Lewis S. Williams Grand Master
The Right Worshipful E. W. Jarvis Deputy Grand Master
The Right Worshipful Jos E. Allen Senior Grand Warden
The Right Worshipful Chas C. Clark Junior Grand Warden

Do, by these Presents, appoint, authorize, and empower our worthy Brother John A. Barbee to be the Master, our worthy Brother John McMurray to be the Senior Warden, and our worthy Brother James P. Baird to be the Junior Warden of a new Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons to be by virtue hereof constituted, formed, and held in Roxboro, Person County, North Carolina

which Lodge shall be distinguished by the Name or Style of Person Lodge No. 113.

Photographic Copy of the Charter of
Person Lodge No. 113

RESOLUTION RELATIVE TO CONSOLIDATION OF LODGES

WHEREAS, it is for the best interest of Masonry, and of this lodge in particular, that it consolidate with Unaka Lodge No. 506, A. F. & A. M., of Unaka, North Carolina, as provided for in Regulation 56-01 of THE CODE of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina, and:

WHEREAS, it is believed by the undersigned that said lodge is willing to enter into proceedings for such consolidation:

NOW BE IT RESOLVED: That Montgomery Lodge No. 426, A. F. & A. M., of Ranger, North Carolina, propose and agree to a consolidation under Chapter 56 of THE CODE of the said Grand Lodge with Unaka Lodge No. 506, A. F. & A. M., at Unaka, North Carolina.

RESOLVED FURTHER: That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Unaka Lodge No. 506, A. F. & A. M., at Unaka, North Carolina, with the request that it fraternally consider favorable action thereon by the adoption of a similar resolution.

Submitted by,

July 13, 1963

W. Harvey Stiles

FORM OF NOTICE TO MEMBERSHIP
RELATIVE TO CONSOLIDATION OF LODGES

Montgomery Lodge No. 426, A.F. & A.M.
Ranger, North Carolina

July 15, 1963

TO ALL MEMBERS:

TAKE NOTICE that at the stated communication of this lodge to be held August 10, 1963, at 7:30PM., at the regular meeting place in Ranger, North Carolina, a resolution proposing and agreeing to a consolidation of this lodge with Unaka Lodge No. 506, A.F. & A.M., at Unaka, North Carolina, will be acted upon. Your attendance is desired.

W. Harvey Stiles Secretary

Resolution And Notice to Membership of Montgomery Lodge No. 426 Relative to Consolidation of Lodges

CERTIFICATE OF ADOPTION OF RESOLUTION
RELATIVE TO CONSOLIDATION OF LODGES

WE DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT:

1. At a stated communication of Montgomery Lodge No. 426, A. F. & A. M., of Ranger, North Carolina, held July 13, as provided in its by-laws, a quorum being present, a resolution, a true copy of which is attached hereto, was read and laid over to a subsequent stated communication.

2. On August 10, 1963, at a stated communication duly held as provided in its by-laws, 28 members of said lodge being present, the said resolution was read again, discussed, and upon a vote there were 28 votes for its adoption and 0 votes against its adoption.

WITNESS our hands and the seal of the lodge this 10th of August A. D. 1963; A. L. 5963.

MONTGOMERY LODGE NO. 426, A. F. & A. M.

Willard D. Allen
Willard D. Allen Master

W. Harvey Stiles
W. Harvey Stiles Secretary

(SEAL OF LODGE HERE)

CERTIFICATE OF SECRETARY THAT MEMBERSHIP NOTIFIED

I hereby certify that I notified each member of Montgomery Lodge No. 426, A. F. & A. M., to attend the stated communication of said lodge to be held on August 10, 1963, at 7:30 P. M. at Ranger, North Carolina, by forwarding such notice, together with a notice of the resolution proposing and agreeing to consolidate this lodge with Unaka Lodge No. 506, A. F. & A. M., by fully prepared first-class United States mail to his last known address for mail.

July 15, 1963

W. Harvey Stiles
W. Harvey Stiles Secretary
Montgomery Lodge No. 426, A. F. & A. M.

Certificate of Adoption of Resolution By Montgomery Lodge No. 426 And Certificate of Secretary Relative to Consolidation of Lodges

RESOLUTION RELATIVE TO CONSOLIDATION OF LODGES

WHEREAS, it is for the best interest of Masonry, and of this lodge in particular, that it consolidate with Montgomery Lodge No. 426, A. F. & A. M., at Ranger, North Carolina, as provided for in Regulation 56-01 of THE CODE of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina, and:

WHEREAS, it is believed by the undersigned that said lodge is willing to enter into proceedings for such consolidation:

NOW BE IT RESOLVED: That Unaka Lodge No. 506, A. F. & A. M., of Unaka, North Carolina, propose and agree to a consolidation under Chapter 56 of THE CODE of the said Grand Lodge with Montgomery Lodge No. 426, A. F. & A. M., at Ranger, North Carolina.

RESOLVED FURTHER: That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Montgomery Lodge No. 426, A. F. & A. M., at Ranger, North Carolina, with the request that it fraternally consider favorable action thereon by the adoption of a similar resolution.

Submitted by,
UNAKA LODGE NO. 506, A. F. & A. M.

Date: May 18, 1963

Harry C. Bagley
Harry C. Bagley, Secretary

FORM OF NOTICE TO MEMBERSHIP
RELATIVE TO CONSOLIDATION OF LODGES

Unaka Lodge No. 506, A.F. & A.M.
Unaka, North Carolina
May 20, 1963

TO ALL MEMBERS:

TAKE NOTICE that at the stated communication of this lodge to be held June 15, 1963, at 8:00 P. M., at the regular meeting place in Unaka, North Carolina, a resolution proposing and agreeing to a consolidation of this lodge with Montgomery Lodge No. 426, A.F. & A.M., at Ranger, North Carolina, will be acted upon. Your attendance is desired.

Harry C. Bagley
Harry C. Bagley, Secretary

Resolution And Notice to Membership of Unaka Lodge No. 506
Relative to Consolidation of Lodges

CERTIFICATE OF ADOPTION OF RESOLUTION
RELATIVE TO CONSOLIDATION OF LODGES

WE DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT:

1. At a stated communication of Unaka Lodge No. 506, A. F. & A. M., of Unaka, North Carolina, held May 18, 1963, as provided in its by-laws, a quorum being present, a resolution, a true copy of which is attached hereto, was read and laid over to a subsequent stated communication.

2. On June 15, 1963, at a stated communication duly held as provided in its by-laws, 18 members of said lodge being present, the said resolution was read again, discussed, and upon a vote there were 12 votes for its adoption and 6 votes against its adoption.

WITNESS our hands and the seal of the lodge this 17th of June, A. D. 1963; A. L. 5963.

Ammel H. Baine, Master

Harry C. Bagley, Secretary

(SEAL OF LODGE HERE)

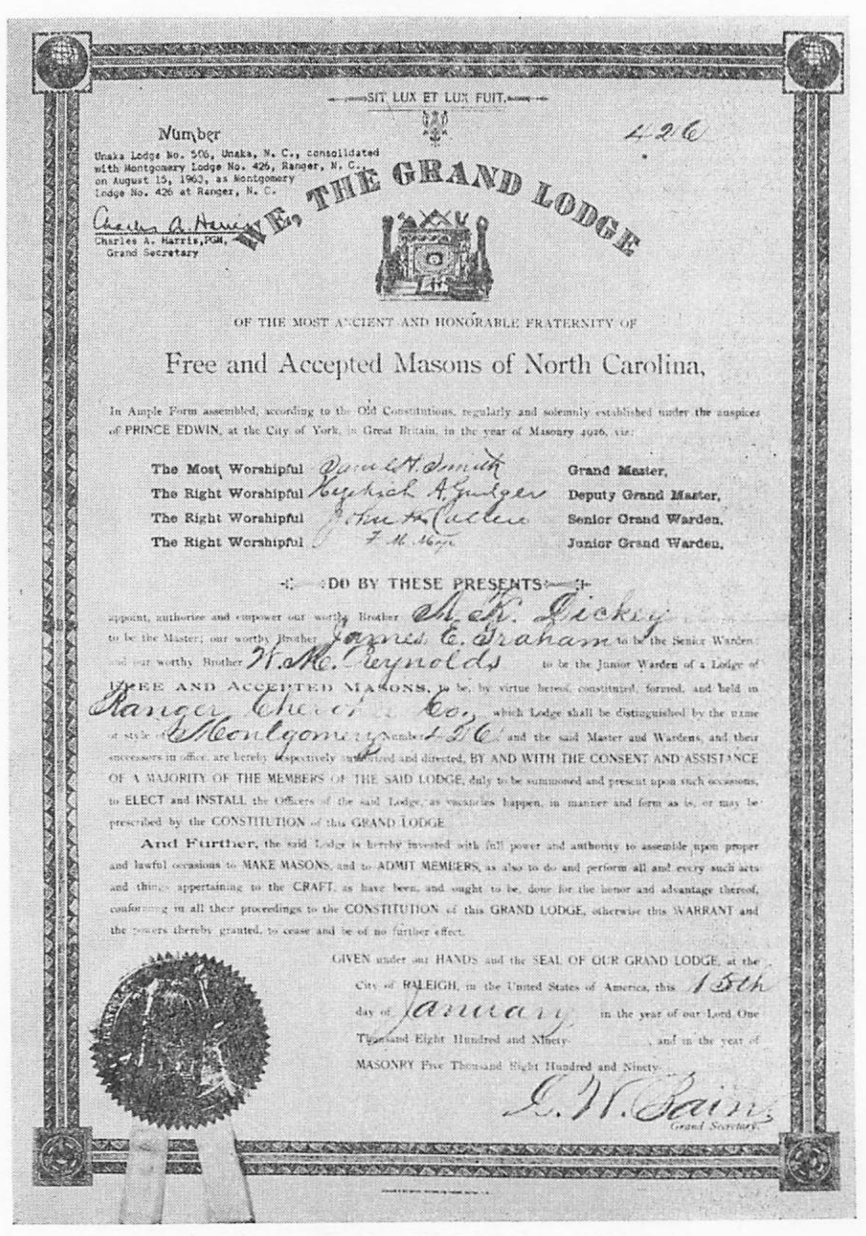
CERTIFICATE OF SECRETARY THAT MEMBERSHIP NOTIFIED

I hereby certify that I notified each member of Unaka Lodge No. 506, A. F. & A. M., to attend the stated communication of said lodge to be held on June 15, 1963, at 8:00 P. M. at Unaka, North Carolina, by forwarding such notice, together with a notice of the resolution proposing and agreeing to consolidate this lodge with Montgomery Lodge No. 426, A. F. & A. M. by fully prepared first-class United States mail to his last known address for mail.

May 20, 1963

Harry C. Bagley, Secretary
UNAKA LODGE NO. 506, A. F. & A. M.

Certificate of Adoption of Resolution by
Unaka Lodge No. 506
And Certificate of Secretary Relative to
Consolidation of Lodges



SIT LUX ET LUX FUIT.

Number 426

Unaka Lodge No. 506, Unaka, N. C., consolidated with Montgomery Lodge No. 426, Ranger, N. C., on August 15, 1963, as Montgomery Lodge No. 426 at Ranger, N. C.

Charles A. Harris
Charles A. Harris, PGM,
Grand Secretary

WE, THE GRAND LODGE

OF THE MOST ANCIENT AND HONORABLE FRATERNITY OF

Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina,

In Ample Form assembled, according to the Old Constitutions, regularly and solemnly established under the auspices of PRINCE EDWIN, at the City of York, in Great Britain, in the year of Masonry 4926, viz:

The Most Worshipful Daniel H. Smith Grand Master,
The Right Worshipful Hezekiah A. Gudger Deputy Grand Master,
The Right Worshipful John W. Cotten Senior Grand Warden,
The Right Worshipful F. M. Moye Junior Grand Warden,

DO BY THESE PRESENTS

appoint, authorize and empower our worthy Brother M. K. Dickey to be the Master; our worthy Brother James E. Graham to be the Senior Warden; and our worthy Brother W. M. Reynolds to be the Junior Warden of a Lodge of FREE AND ACCEPTED MASONS, to be, by virtue hereof, constituted, formed, and held in Ranger, Cher[illegible] Co., which Lodge shall be distinguished by the name or style of Montgomery Number 426 and the said Master and Wardens, and their successors in office, are hereby respectively authorized and directed, BY AND WITH THE CONSENT AND ASSISTANCE OF A MAJORITY OF THE MEMBERS OF THE SAID LODGE, duly to be summoned and present upon such occasions, to ELECT and INSTALL the Officers of the said Lodge, as vacancies happen, in manner and form as is, or may be prescribed by the CONSTITUTION of this GRAND LODGE.

And Further, the said Lodge is hereby invested with full power and authority to assemble upon proper and lawful occasions to MAKE MASONS, and to ADMIT MEMBERS, as also to do and perform all and every such acts and things appertaining to the CRAFT, as have been, and ought to be, done for the honor and advantage thereof, conforming in all their proceedings to the CONSTITUTION of this GRAND LODGE, otherwise this WARRANT and the powers thereby granted, to cease and be of no further effect.

GIVEN under our HANDS and the SEAL OF OUR GRAND LODGE, at the City of RALEIGH, in the United States of America, this 15th day of January in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Ninety- , and in the year of MASONRY Five Thousand Eight Hundred and Ninety-

D. W. Bain
Grand Secretary.

Photographic Copy of Charter of Montgomery Lodge No. 426
(With certification relative to consolidation of
No. 426 and Unaka Lodge No. 506 on August 15, 1963.)

ROSTER OF AWARDS OF JOSEPH MONTFORT MEDALS

Established 1940

(Arranged According to Date Awarded)

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1940

*M∴W∴Melvin Maynard Johnson, Past Grand Master of Masons in Massachusetts

*M∴W∴John Huske Anderson, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of North Carolina

M∴W∴Thomas Joshua Harkins, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

1941

*M∴W∴Raymond Cromwell Dunn, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

M∴W∴Charles Bailey Newcomb, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

†M∴W∴John Edward Allen, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

1942

M∴W∴William Moseley Brown, Past Grand Master of Masons in Virginia

*M∴W∴Alexander Boyd Andrews, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

*W∴William Ritchie Smith, Past Master, Raleigh Lodge No. 500, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina

1943

*M∴W∴ Herbert Claude Alexander, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, Grand Treasurer of The Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of North Carolina

M∴W∴Watson Newberry Sherrod, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

M∴W∴Charles Patterson Eldridge, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

1944

*M∴W∴Hubert McNeill Poteat, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

M∴W∴James Giles Hudson, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

*W∴Creasy Kinion Proctor, Past Master, Hiram Lodge No. 40, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina

* Deceased † Nonaffiliated

1945

*M.'.W.'.JOHN HENRY COWLES, Past Grand Master of Masons in Kentucky

*M.'.W.'.EDGAR WALTER TIMBERLAKE, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

W.'.F. W. MOODY WHITE, Past Master, Royal White Hart Lodge No. 2, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina

1946

M.'.W.'.JOHN WALLACE WINBORNE, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

M.'.W.'.JAMES EDWARD SHIPMAN, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

*M.'.W.'.JULIUS C. HOBBS, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

1947

*M.'.W.'.CARL HARRY CLAUDY, Past Grand Master of Masons in the District of Columbia, and Executive Secretary of the Masonic Service Association of the United States

BROTHER GEORGE RICHARD BENNETTE, Superintendent of the Masonic and Eastern Star Home of N. C., Inc.

*R.'.W.'.WILBUR LEROY MCIVER, Past Master, Grand Secretary of The Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of North Carolina

1948

†W.'.JOHN RAYMOND SHUTE, Past Master, North Carolina Lodge of Research No. 666, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina

M.'.W.'.ROGER KEITH, Grand Master of Masons in Massachusetts

R.'.W.'.MAXWELL ELLIS HOFFMAN, Deputy Grand Master of The Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of North Carolina

1949

*M.'.W.'.LUTHER THOMPSON HARTSELL, JR., Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

M.'.W.'.WILLIAM JAMES BUNDY, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

*W.'.JOHN RUFUS MCCRACKEN, Past Master, Waynesville Lodge No. 259, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina

1950

*M.'.W.'.JAMES WALKER PAYNE, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

*BROTHER FRANK MULLEN PINNIX, Editor of *The Orphans' Friend and Masonic Journal*

*M.'.W.'.OLIVER FRANKLIN HART, Past Grand Master of Masons in South Carolina, Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge of A.F.M., South Carolina

1951

W.'.FRED CLINTON KINZIE, Grand Lecturer of The Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of North Carolina

* Deceased † Nonaffiliated

*W.'.HUGH WILLIAMSON PRINCE, Past Master, Palmyra Lodge No. 147, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina

*M.'.W.'.ENOCH DORRON FLOWERS, Past Grand Master of Masons in Virginia

1952

*M.'.W.'.WALLACE EVERETT CALDWELL, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

W.'.HARRISON KAUFFMAN, Past Master, Hiram Lodge No. 40, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina

*W.'.SAMUEL NEWMAN BOYCE, Past Master, Gastonia Lodge No. 369, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina

1953

*M.'.W.'.HERBERT MILES FOY, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

*W.'.EDWIN WALKER YATES, Past Master, William G. Hill Lodge No. 218, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina

*M.'.W.'.JAMES NOAH HILLMAN, Past Grand Master of Masons in Virginia, Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Virginia

1954

M.'.W.'.WILLIAM HENRY WHITE, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

*M.'.W.'.RUDOLPH REYNOLDS COOKE, Past Grand Master of Masons in Virginia

BROTHER CLAUDE BABINGTON SQUIRES, Member of Joppa Lodge No. 530, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina

1955

M.'.W.'.EDWIN TURLINGTON HOWARD, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

W.'.A. D. LEON GRAY, Past Master, Superintendent of Oxford Orphanage

W.'.JOHN EDWARD ROOKER, JR., Past Master, Johnston Caswell Lodge No. 10, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina

1956

R.'.E.'.JOHN H. PARKER, Grand Secretary-Recorder of the Grand York Rite Bodies of North Carolina

M.'.W.'.A. J. M. WANNAMAKER, Past Grand Master of Masons in South Carolina

M.'.W.'.ROBERT LEE PUGH, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

1957

M.'.W.'.CHARLES HARRISON PUGH, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

M.'.W.'.HENRY FITZHUGH COLLINS, Past Grand Master of Masons in South Carolina, Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge of A.F.M. of South Carolina

W.'.CHARLES TRENHOLM MCCLENAGHAN, Past Master, William G. Hill Lodge No. 218, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina

1958

*M.'.W.'.JOHN CATLETT VANCE, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

* Deceased † Nonaffiliated

*Ill.·.FRANK S. LAND, Founder and Secretary-General of the Order of DeMolay

W.·.LEON GODOWN, Past Master of Stokes Lodge No. 32, A.F. & A.M., and Editor of *The Orphans' Friend and Masonic Journal*, North Carolina

1959

M.·.W.·.JOHN IRVING SMITH, Past Grand Master of Masons in South Carolina

W.·.ADAM ANDREW HUSMAN, Past Master of Hiram Lodge No. 40, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina

1960

M.·.W.·.LUTHER A. SMITH, Past Grand Master of Masons in Mississippi

M.·.W.·.JAMFS GUY JOHNSTON, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

W.·.NORWOOD PRICE PARKER, Past Master, Hiram Lodge No. 98, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina

1961

W.·.PERCY CLIFTON STOTT, Past Master, Wendell Lodge No. 565, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina

W.·.HAYWOOD SHERRILL KING, SR., Past Master, Wilmington Lodge No. 319, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina

W.·.BERL MAURICE KAHN, Past Master, Wayne Lodge No. 112, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina

W.·.THOMAS MILTON FUNK, Past Master, Mooresville Lodge No. 496, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina

M.·.W.·.CHARLES ANDERSON HARRIS, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina and Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge A. F. & A.M. of North Carolina

1962

M.·.W.·.HARVEY WARD SMITH, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

BROTHER TROY GARREN ROBBINS, Superintendent of the Masonic and Eastern Star Home of N. C., Inc.

M.·.W.·.HARRY S. TRUMAN, Past Grand Master of Masons in Missouri

W.·.RICHARD HARVEY LUCAS, Past Master, Perseverance Lodge No. 59, A.F. & A.M., Plymouth, North Carolina

BROTHER JAMES JAY GILBERT, a member of Greenville Lodge No. 284, A.F. & A.M., Greenville, North Carolina

1963

M.·.W.·.THOMAS EARL DOSS, Past Grand Master of Masons in Tennessee and Grand Secretary in Tennessee

M.·.W.·.JAMES WOODROW BREWER, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina and Grand Treasurer of the Grand Lodge A. F. & A.M., North Carolina

W.·.HERBERT NOBLE, Past Master, John A. Nichols Lodge No. 650, A. F. & A.M., North Carolina

W.·.REUBEN BARNITZ, Past Master, Secretary of Mount Hermon Lodge No. 118, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina

W.·.LLOYD WOOLLEY, Past Master, Secretary of Southern Pines Lodge No. 484, A.F. & A.M., North Carolina

* Deceased † Nonaffiliated

1964

M.'.W.'.CHARLES CARPENTER RICKER, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

M.'.W.'.WILLIAM ELI HAND, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

M.'.W.'.ANDREW J. WHITE, JR., Past Grand Master of Masons in Ohio and Grand Secretary in Ohio

M.'.W.'.SAMUEL W. MCINTOSH, Past Grand Master of Masons in the District of Columbia

M.'.W.'.MARTIN H. KINSINGER, Past Grand Master of Masons in Maryland

* Deceased † Nonaffiliated

GRAND LODGE OF NORTH CAROLINA DIAMOND JUBILEE AWARDS

(60-Year Emblems and Service Certificates)

NAME	DATE	LODGE	DATE RAISED	LODGE IN WHICH RAISED
Wiley James Boon	1-10-1963	William G. Hill 218	5- 3-1901	Relief 431
William Warner Stinemates	1-16-1963	Eureka 317	9-19-1900	Mt. Zion 9, Mt. Vernon, Ohio
Ivey Narron	1-17-1963	Archer 165	12- 4-1897	Archer 165
Joseph Ray Maxwell	1-17-1963	Mount Olive 208	10-23-1895	Temple 9, Milford, Delaware
B. W. Fassett	1-21-1963	Durham 352	1-17-1903	Lone Hickory 512, Yadkin Co., North Carolina
Alfonza Stokes Gatewood	2- 3-1963	Caswell Brotherhood 11	3-25-1893	Clinton 107, Yanceyville, N. C.
Abraham Weiner Berman	2- 4-1963	Granite 191	12-15-1898	Granite 191

(Presented by James R. Thomas, DDGM-12, Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania, as a courtesy)

NAME	DATE	LODGE	DATE RAISED	LODGE IN WHICH RAISED
William Orion Bullock	2-12-1963	Belhaven 509	5-27-1902	Belhaven 509
James Eli Prevette	2-19-1963	Statesville 27	5-19-1894	Wilson 226
Victor Morse Graves	2-27-1963	Bula 409	4-19-1902	Bula 409
Nelson Pemberton Tweed	3-12-1963	Oconee 427	11- -1902	White Rock Lodge No. 392
William Peterson Vaughan	3-14-1963	Widow's Son 519	3-12-1903	Widow's Son 519
Junius William Lassiter	4- 8-1963	Apex 584	3- 7-1903	Green Level 277
William Franklin Wellman	4-16-1963	Andrew Jackson 576	3-26-1903	Mocksville 134
Charles Henry Wood, Sr.	6- 6-1963	Unanimity 7	1902	Eureka 317
Victor C. Nobeck	6-15-1963	Waynesville 259	4- 2-1903	Powell 645, Clay City, Kentucky
Isaac Edwin Landreth	7-10-1963	Piney Creek 432	3-28-1903	Kings Creek 432, Piney Creek, N. C.

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NAME	DATE	LODGE	DATE RAISED	LODGE IN WHICH RAISED
Christopher Binder	7-16-1963	Granite 322	5-15-1903	Winnsboro 11, Winnsboro, S. C.
M. C. Council	7-28-1963	Green Level 277	11- 8-1902	Green Level 277
William Ira Halstead	8- 9-1963	New Lebanon 314	8- 7-1903	New Lebanon 314
Millard Marvin Fox	8-29-1963	Siler City 403	8-29-1903	Siler City 403
Robert Wilson Kerns	9- 9-1963	Long Creek 205	8-29-1903	Long Creek 205
Nathan Armistead Gregg	9-10-1963	Spindale 673	4- 1-1902	Tabasco 271
George Bright Fox	9-16-1963	Montgomery 426	9-16-1903	Montgomery 426
John William Tadlock	9-20-1963	Relief 431	3-21-1903	Mill Creek 480, Harpers, N. C.
James E. Watts	9-23-1963	Belmont 627	3-23-1900	South Fork 462

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NAME	DATE	LODGE	DATE RAISED	LODGE IN WHICH RAISED
Mack V. Breedlove	10-10-1963	Glenville 551	9- 4-1903	Dunn's Rock 267
Samuel Thomas Peace	10-15-1963	Henderson 229	8-20-1903	Oxford 396, Oxford, N. C.
Herbert Omar Sink	10-21-1963	Raleigh 500	7-17-1903	Raleigh 500
Harvey Garfield Richards	10-29-1963	Lawndale 486	9- 5-1903	Lawndale 486
George A. Shieder	11- 4-1963	West Asheville 665	8-15-1903	Apalachicola 76, Apalachicola, Florida
William Leonidas Williford	11-12-1963	St. John's 1	7- 3-1903	Orient 395
Ulysses Simpson Greer	11-21-1963	Revolution 552	6-30-1903	Greensboro 76

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NAME	DATE	LODGE	DATE RAISED	LODGE IN WHICH RAISED
Roscoe Thomas Griffin	1- 3-1963	Queen City 602	6-15-1912	Cedar Rock 286
Robert Clyde Andrews	1- 7-1963	University 408	12-16-1912	University 408
A. Carl Cochran	1-11-1963	Biscoe 437	10- 5-1912	Star 437
P. Oscar Church	1-13-1963	Mount Pleasant 573	12-21-1913	Mount Pleasant 573
Edgar Durant Skinner	1-15-1963	Queen City 602	12-14-1912	Orange 14, Charleston, S. C.
Arnold Nicholson Rhodes	1-18-1963	King Solomon 138	6-26-1912	King Solomon 138
Jodie John Boyette	1-24-1963	Hamlet 532	1-13-1913	Hamlet 532
Gideon Taylor Matthews	2- 7-1963	Queen City 602	12-27-1912	Central Cross 187
Walter Boyd Hardin	2-18-1963	Hickory 343	11-13-1912	Chester 18, Chester, S. C.
Charles L. Ball	2-26-1963	Eureka 317	2- 3-1910	Unanimity 7
John Elliott Wood	2-26-1963	Eureka 317	9- 3-1912	Eureka 317
Alex Reaben	2-26-1963	Biltmore 446	1- 5-1904	Biltmore 446
Sidney Cortez Crow	2-26-1963	Biltmore 446	12-10-1910	Arcadia 285, Arcadia, S. C.
Jetson Lockwood Sawyer	3- 1-1963	New Lebanon 314	2- 2-1913	New Lebanon 314
James Tillman Lovin	3- 4-1963	Oconee 427	9- 6-1911	Lone Oak 449, Robbinsville, N. C.

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Ralph James Sykes	3- 6-1963	Greensboro 76	6-17-1912	Greensboro 76
Charles Way Moody	3- 7-1963	Sonoma 472	4- 8-1903	Western Light 272, Abbeville, Ga.
Charles C. Loughlin	3- 7-1963	Orient 395	1-30-1913	Orient 395
Wiley Lamm	3- 7-1963	Lucama 527	8-17-1905	Lucama 527
James R. Patterson	3-27-1963	State Line 375	3-27-1912	State Line 375
Murray Craven Alexander, Sr.	4- 3-1963	St. Andrew 702	3-21-1913	Joppa 530
Paul L. Pearson	4- 8-1963	Apex 584	11-22-1911	Williams 538
Louis Ballenberger	4-11-1963	Hamlet 532	6-15-1911	Harpers 225, Andrews, S. C.
Thaddeus Wallace Brinson	4-12-1963	Doric 568	11-23-1912	Bayboro 331
Victor Raxter	5- 4-1963	Marble Springs 439	5- 3-1963	Marble Springs 439
Giles Teblin McLelland	5-10-1963	Snow Creek 571	1-27-1913	Snow Creek 571
Earnest G. Forrest	5-10-1963	Eagle 19	9-27-1912	Eagle 71
George W. Taylor	5-14-1963	Mooresville 496	3-28-1905	Scottsville 385, Alleghany Co., North Carolina
Sigmund Sternberger	5-17-1963	Revolution 552	3-19-1913	Revolution 552
Heber Gardner Mumford	5-21-1963	Ayden 498	5-15-1913	Ayden 498
Percy Clifton Stott, Sr.	5-28-1963	Wendell 565	4-16-1913	Wendell 565
J. Toms Dover	5-30-1963	Cleveland 202	5-26-1913	Cleveland 202
Walter Dorsey Barbee	6- 3-1963	Seaboard 378	5- 6-1913	Green Level 277
Guy Weaver	6- 4-1963	Blackmer 170	6-29-1912	Blackmer 170
Benjamin A. Stevens	6- 4-1963	Blackmer 170	8-23-1913	Frontier 45, LaCrosse, Wisconsin
Fred Walker Ramsey	6- 4-1963	Statesville 27	6- 3-1913	Statesville 487
Steve Severson Terrell	6- 6-1963	Hibriten 262	3-27-1913	Suburban 740, Louisville, Ky.
Thomas Barker Dameron	6-10-1963	Goldsboro 634	5-21-1912	Johnston-Caswell 10
John Elias Faison Hicks	6-10-1963	Goldsboro 634	3-21-1910	Wayne 112
Millard C. Coble, Sr.	6-14-1963	Marietta 444	12-21-1912	Hanks 128
Charles G. Whitehead	6-14-1963	Marietta 444	4- 5-1913	Marietta 444
W. Ruffin Smith	6-18-1963	Phalanx 31	1-11-1913	Phalanx 31
Jack Willoughby Robinson	6-18-1963	Scotland Neck 689	6- 6-1913	Conoho 399, Hamilton, N. C.
Joseph Nelson Mease	6-21-1963	Pigeon River 386	6-19-1913	Pigeon River 386
Clifton Ryan Shuler	6-27-1963	Corinthian 230	4- 7-1913	Selma 320

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John Peter Ferrier	7-11-1963	Lovelady 670	6-21-1913	L'Union Francaise 17, New York, N. Y.
Rolando C. Holton	7-12-1963	Doric 568	6- 1-1910	White Stone 155
Edgar W. Allfather	7-19-1963	Junaluskee 145	7-19-1906	Junaluskee 145
John M. Brabson	7-30-1963	Junaluskee 145	7-18-1911	Junaluskee 145
Sam A. Bryson	7-30-1963	Junaluskee 145	9-16-1910	Junaluskee 145
John F. Cunningham	7-30-1963	Junaluskee 145	5-18-1909	Junaluskee 145
C. L. Watkins	7-30-1963	Junaluskee 145	10- 6-1908	Junaluskee 145
Wilbur Devendorf	8- 5-1963	West Asheville 665	12-12-1908	Mongaup 816, Liberty, N. Y.
James Benbow Whittington	8- 6-1963	Salem 289	3- 4-1913	Salem 289
George Lake Yingling	8- 6-1963	Salem 289	7-29-1913	Salem 289
Horace Davis	8- 6-1963	Phalanx 31	3-12-1913	Phalanx 31
J. Grove Pardee	8- 6-1963	Phalanx 31	4-30-1913	Phalanx 31
Lee Ernest Evans	9- 2-1963	Mount Lebanon 117	1-16-1913	Black Creek 330, Black Creek, North Carolina
Franklin Clyde Ezzell	9- 3-1963	Waxhaw 562	11-15-1912	Waxhaw 562
L. E. Reighard	9-10-1963	Swannanoa 561	8-20-1907	Biltmore 446
Grover Liston Richardson	9-10-1963	St. John's 1	5-17-1913	Waccamaw 596
Paul William Bumbarger	9-16-1963	Hickory 343	3-11-1913	Altus 62, Altus, Oklahoma
P. Frank Parker	9-17-1963	Raleigh 500	1- 5-1912	Raleigh 500
Joseph Summerell Correll	9-17-1963	Raleigh 500	4-26-1913	Corinthian 542
Thomas Seward Dickens	9-18-1963	Royal White Hart 2	5- 7-1913	Royal White Hart 2
L. W. Maddrey	9-24-1963	Pendleton 524	4-19-1913	Pendleton 524
J. Frank LaRoque	9-25-1963	St. John's 4	2-25-1913	St. John's 4
F. E. Wallace	9-25-1963	St. John's 4	11-17-1911	Warren 101, Kenansville, N. C.
Melvin L. Crisp (Presented in Kedron Lodge No. 387 as a courtesy to Marble Springs Lodge No. 439)	9-26-1963	Marble Springs 439	4-25-1912	Mount Hood 32, Vancouver, Washington
J. Ed Reinhardt	10- 1-1963	Cookville 502	6-21-1913	Cookville 502
Norman Clifford Richardson	10- 4-1963	Black Mountain 663	12-28-1912	Ottolay 533, Fairview, N. C.
Fred Williamson Bynum	10- 7-1963	Rockingham 495	5- 5-1908	Columbus 102

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NAME	DATE	LODGE	DATE RAISED	LODGE IN WHICH RAISED
Daniel Luther Wicker	10- 7-1963	Rockingham 495	5- 7-1907	Roberdell 507
Isaac Spencer London	10- 7-1963	Rockingham 495	9-12-1913	Siler City 403
Peter J. Baumberger	10-13-1963	Saluda 482	10- 6-1913	Saluda 482
Daniel Webster Pace	10-13-1963	Saluda 482	6-15-1913	Biltmore 446
Carlos Urbon Samford	10-15-1963	Henderson 229	11-20-1911	Brunswick 52, Lawrenceville, Va.
Thomas Jackson Wilson	11- 1-1963	Joppa 530	5-30-1913	Joppa 530
Benjamin Powell Davis	11- 1-1963	Mystic Tie 237	9-12-1913	Mystic Tie 237
J. Alexander Smith	11- 2-1963	Lexington 473	9- 7-1913	Lexington 473
George Eugene Holt	11- 2-1963	Bula 409	9-13-1913	Bula 409
Clyde Irvin Webb	11-11-1963	Excelsior 261	7-21-1913	Excelsior 261
John Millard Cox	11-11-1963	Hickory 343	11-11-1913	Maiden 592
Walter Louis Daniel	11-13-1963	American George 17	5-27-1911	Winton 327, Winton, N. C. (defunct)
Louis Sherman	11-14-1963	Kedron 387	9-29-1913	Mount Hermon 118
James Pierce Hatley	11-19-1963	Lovelady 670	4- 5-1913	French 270, Nathalie, Virginia
Ernest Clifford Walker	11-21-1963	Spencer 543	9-16-1913	Spencer 543
Joseph William Council	11-21-1963	Queen City 602	5- 5-1912	Queen City 602
Howell DeBerry	11-21-1963	Queen City 602	4-11-1913	Queen City 602
Junious Edgar Delamar	11-21-1963	Queen City 602	9- 1-1913	Queen City 602
William L. McCray	11-21-1963	Queen City 602	9-13-1913	Queen City 602
Edward J. Pitt	11-21-1963	Queen City 602	10-17-1913	Queen City 602
W. Hubert Snipes	11-21-1963	Queen City 602	11-21-1913	Queen City 602
James H. Cutchin	11-22-1963	Enfield 447	9- 4-1913	David Bell 587, Whitakers, N. C.
Otto Meyer	11-22-1963	Enfield 447	10-13-1913	Enfield 447
Charles E. Wood, Jr.	11-23-1963	Winston 167	3-10-1913	William G. Hill 218
Clarence Edward Hood	11-23-1963	Winston 167	6- 6-1913	Phoenix 8
William Berley Beaver	11-23-1963	Cannon Memorial 626	2-20-1913	Patterson 307, Mt. Pleasant, N. C.
Otho Grey Duke	11-25-1963	William G. Hill 218	12-23-1912	William G. Hill 218
Robert Melville Chamblee	11-25-1963	William G. Hill 218	9-22-1913	William G. Hill 218
John Thomas Hilton	11-25-1963	William G. Hill 218	5- 6-1913	King Philip, Fall River, Massachusetts

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NAME	DATE	LODGE	DATE RAISED	LODGE IN WHICH RAISED
Richard Harvey Lucas	11-26-1963	Perseverance 59	5- 7-1913	Perseverance 59
Leonard C. Paul	11-26-1963	Belhaven 509	7-17-1913	Belhaven 509
Melvin E. Carter	12- 5-1963	Mount Hermon 118	8-12-1913	Mount Hermon 118
Willie Taylor	12- 6-1963	Joseph Warren 92	1- 2-1913	Joseph Warren 92
Samuel Paul Jones	12-11-1963	Statesville 27	11-25-1913	Person 113
James Giles Hudson, Sr.	12-12-1963	Andrew Jackson 576	6- 5-1913	Spencer 543
Jasper Earle Haynes, Sr.	12-12-1963	Andrew Jackson 576	2-13-1913	Gulf 465, Gulf, N. C.
Jay James Robinson	12-12-1963	Andrew Jackson 576	5-15-1913	Andrew Jackson 576
William Oscar Geer	12-17-1963	Western Star 91	12-16-1913	Western Star 91
James Scott Thompson	12-18-1963	William G. Hill 218	7-28-1913	William G. Hill 218
(Presented by Friendship Lodge No. 185, Denver, Colorado, as a courtesy to Willliam G. Hill Lodge No. 218)				
Melvin Ray Daniels	12-23-1963	Manteo 521	10-30-1913	Wanchese 521
William Lance Montague	12-23-1963	Manteo 521	12-18-1913	Wanchese 521

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ARNOLD WESLEY KINCAID—24
SCOTT STUART FAY—23
MARION TILLIT ROSS—23
CRAVEN ENGLISH HARRINGTON—22
HENRY McNAIR JOHNSON—22
PERCY CLIFTON STOTT—22
NEILL WILLIS FREEMAN—21
WILLIAM HOWARD HARDY—21
FRED CLINTON KINZIE—21
CORNELIUS LEACH—21
JOSEPH GRACEY MILLER—21
NORWOOD PRICE PARKER—21
RAY ELBERT PHILLIPS—21
JAMES THOMAS CARR WRIGHT*—21
JONATHAN HARVEY CARPENTER—20
RICHARD HARVEY LUCAS—20
SAMUEL LEWIS POWERS—20
WILLIAM ALBERT STEPHENSON AMAN—19
CHARLES DURWOOD GRAHAM—19
ROBERT BREATHARD JONES—19
WILLIAM ROBERT OWENS—19
WILLIAM CLIFFORD GREER—18
WILLIAM RILEY HADLEY—18
BRITTON HARRELL—18
NED ARMFIELD HAWKS—18
GEORGE DUDLEY HUMPHREY—18
HAYWOOD SHERRILL KING—18
ERIC EARL MORGAN—18
THOMAS JEFFERSON MORGAN—18
JAMES INGRAM REYNOLDS—18
WILLIAM HARLEY STEPHENS—18
NATHAN PHILIP STRAUSE—18
HARRY STANTON TAYLOR—18
ADAIR EDWARD CHAMBERS—17
COY JACKSON HUFF—17
JAMES GUY JOHNSTON—17
JOHN LUTHER POWELL—17
KENNETH LESTER BARKLEY—16
JAMES CASTLE BROWN, JR.—16
CLOUDE BURGESS—16
CLIFTON GORDON GRANT—16
WALTER HERMAN HARDEE—16
EARL McINTOSH NOE—16
CLARENCE LEE RHINEHART—16
FRANKLIN WILLIAM ROYAL—16
EDWARD GEORGE UPDEGROVE—16
ROYAL PRESTON WOOTEN—16
ARTHUR APPLE—15
ELMO ELSWORTH BATTLE—15
ROBERT MacBETH BIRD—15
GORDON LEE BUTLER—15
FRANK GUDGER CABE—15
HENRY BENAGA CARAWAN—15
GRADY ISAIAH CARRIKER—15
WILLIAM LLEWELLYN LANCASTER—15
HARVEY LEE MULKEY—15
WILLIE FRANKLIN OWENS—15
ROBIE DANIEL PORTER—15
JAMES THADDEUS WHITE—15
DeCOSTER WRIGHT—15

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VARDY McBEE ABERNETHY—15
ELDON SHOCKLEY ADAMS—15
HENRY CLAY BAUCOM—15
JOEL JACKSON FAULK—15
WILLIAM BRADSHER HICKS—15
KEITH GRIMES HODGIN—15
GEORGE CHRESTON HOLOMAN—15
JOHN ALBERT HORNADAY—15
RALPH HILLYER JACKSON, SR.—15
JAMES BENJAMIN JOHNSON—15
WILLIAM LEE JOHNSON—15
BERL MAURICE KAHN—15
GRAHAM PINKNEY KERR—15
ANDREW FRANKLYN McLAMB—15
MARSHALL GLENN McRAE—15
FRANK NEELY OWENS—15
EDWIN THOMAS PARHAM—15
ALVA ELBERT PENNEY—15
CHARLES ALBERT RAMSEY—15
RAYMOND EARL RHYNE—15
JOHN ALEXANDER SIMPSON—15

* Deceased

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NAMES AND LOCAL ADDRESSES	RESIDES IN Post Office	County	Lodge No.	Date Expires	"C"
Abernathy, Jacob Ray, P. O. Box 234	Catawba	Catawba	606	11- 1-67	1
Abernathy, Vardy McBee, 720 So. Broadway	Forest City	Rutherford	381	11- 1-64	14
Adams, Eldon Shockley, 2124 Crescent Ave.	Charlotte 7	Mecklenburg	181	11- 1-64	14
Adams, Jr., John Bunyan, 1282 Midway Road	Rockingham	Richmond	495	11- 1-66	2
Adams, William Lee, Route 4, Box 67	New Bern	Craven	725	11- 1-67	7
Alberti, Sr., Herman George, Oceanaire Manor	Holly Ridge	Onslow	83	11- 1-68	10
Alexander, Charles Payne, 133 Rankin St.	Mooresville	Iredell	496	11- 1-68	6
Alford, Ben Randall, P. O. Box 32	Morehead City	Carteret	405	11- 1-67	7
Allen, Harry Alexander, 2232 Malvern Road	Charlotte 7	Mecklenburg	530	11- 1-68	0
Allen, Hubert Harold, P.O. Box 386	Plymouth	Washington	59	11- 1-62	11
Allen, Ned Benton, Route 1, Box 156	Denton	Davidson	404	11- 1-66	2
Allison, Jr., Frank, P.O. Box 97	Fort Bragg	Cumberland	667	11- 1-65	4
Allison, Lloyd Avery, 1811 Cheek Road	Durham	Durham	687	11- 1-68	11
Aman, William Albert Stephenson, 119 Richlands Ave.	Jacksonville	Onslow	83	11- 1-66	19
Apple, Arthur, P.O. Box 148	Wallace	Duplin	595	11- 1-63	15
Austin, Edward Denny, P. O. Box 349	Greenville	Pitt	284	11- 1-65	9
Baber, Arthur Tyson, 148 Charlotte St.	Asheville	Buncombe	118	11- 1-64	4
Baggett, Charlie Cleveland, 1919 Wolcott Ave.	Wilmington	New Hanover	1	11- 1-63	6
Bailey, Leland Floyd Cranford, Route 8, Box 215	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	692	11- 1-62	6
Bailey, Paul Aaron, Route 2	Lucama	Wilson	527	11- 1-64	4
Bailiff, Joe Tate, Rt. 1	Elk Park	Avery	598	11- 1-68	0
Baker, Alvin Edward, 818 Lynn Road	Durham	Durham	687	11- 1-66	4
Banks, Nelson Bryan, P.O. Box 1350	New Bern	Craven	724	11- 1-67	11
Barkley, John Emery, 509 W. Shaw Street	St. Pauls	Robeson	474	11- 1-66	2
Barkley, Kenneth Lester, 121 Park Avenue	Brevard	Transylvania	267	11- 1-63	16
Barnes, James Andrew, Route 8	Winston-Salem	Forsyth	434	11- 1-62	11
Barnitz, Reuben, c/o Masonic Temple	Asheville	Buncombe	118	11- 1-66	13

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NAMES AND LOCAL ADDRESSES	RESIDES IN Post Office	County	Lodge No.	Date Expires	"C"
Bartlett, Verne Edwin, P. O. Box 92	Asheville	Buncombe	446	11- 1-66	2
Batchelor, Willie Henry, R.F.D. 3	Hertford	Perquimans	106	11- 1-66	13
Battle, Elmo Elsworth, 1600 Beal Street	Rocky Mount	Nash	729	11- 1-68	15
Baucom, Henry Clay, 1411 Rama Road	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	676	11- 1-64	14
Beam, Robert Lee, Route 1	Grover	Cleveland	375	11- 1-68	0
Beaver, Henry Clifford, 1109 Emerald St.	Salisbury	Rowan	99	11- 1-64	4
Bell, Edward Weston, P.O. Box 229	Canton	Haywood	386	11- 1-67	7
Best, John Hilton, Rt. 6, Box 485	Goldsboro	Wayne	634	11- 1-67	1
Bird, Jr., Charles Wesley, 165 Buckingham Avenue	Fayetteville	Cumberland	667	11- 1-66	7
Bird, Robert Macbeth, 609 Cedar Street	Weldon	Halifax	203	11- 1-63	15
Bivins, Hubert Oliver, P.O. Box 667	Hillsboro	Orange	19	11- 1-68	7
Bolen, Monroe McCoy, Route 2	Albemarle	Stanly	637	11- 1-68	0
Boring, John Edgar, P.O. Box 912	Black Mountain	Buncombe	663	11- 1-67	7
Bower, Alden Grant, P.O. Box 384	Southern Pines	Moore	484	11- 1-64	9
Bowman, Elwyn Daniel, Route 3, Box 297	Hickory	Catawba	343	11- 1-64	9
Boyette, Thurman Bruce, 1228 So. Tarboro St.	Wilson	Wilson	712	11- 1-63	10
Brady, Sr., Gordon Leonard, P.O. Box 48	Ramseur	Randolph	444	11- 1-67	1
Branton, Mack, R.F.D. 2	Burnsville	Yancey	717	11- 1-64	4
Brewer, Ray Archabald, P.O. Box 403	Battleboro	Nash	602	11- 1-67	7
Brinson, Lloyd George, P.O. Box 375	New Bern	Craven	3	11- 1-67	1
Brown, Fred Orr, Route 4, Box 116	Matthews	Mecklenburg	461	11- 1-68	11
Brown, Grady Anderson, P.O. Box 747	Hillsboro	Orange	19	11- 1-63	10
Brown, James Allen, 1904 Alexander Road	Raleigh	Wake	40	11- 1-64	5
Brown, Jr., James Castle, 232 Hartness Road	Statesville	Iredell	27	11- 1-62	16
Brown, Jr., Milton Steele, 1402 Main St.	Tarboro	Edgecombe	58	11- 1-66	2
Brown, Jr., Thomas Ruffin, 15 East James St.	Lillington	Harnett	302	11- 1-67	8
Brown, William Henry, 4620 Hartman Road	Jacksonville, Fla.	(Out of State)	319	11- 1-63	10
Bruffey, John Catlett, P.O. Box 3612	Fayetteville	Cumberland	679	11- 1-64	4
Bullard, Coy Swinston, 27 Pinecrest Parkway	Wilmington	New Hanover	1	11- 1-64	*8
Bullock, Willard Frank, 2424 Westfield Ave.	Winston-Salem	Forsyth	711	11- 1-66	2

Burgess, Cloude	Harmony	Iredell	299	11- 1-67	16
Burleson, Ballard Eugene, P.O. Box 356	Elk Park	Avery	598	11- 1-64	9
Burleson, Howard Lamar	Swanquarter	Hyde	643	11- 1-68	7
Burnette, Earle Fordyce, 916 Marilyn Dr.	Raleigh	Wake	40	11- 1-65	8
Burrell, Clarence William, P.O. Box 942	Canton	Haywood	386	11- 1-68	6
Burris, John Cecil, 317 Kerr Street	Concord	Cabarrus	32	11- 1-68	6
Butler, Sr., Gordon Lee,		(Out of State)	529	11- 1-64	15
Cabe, Frank Gudger, Route 4, Box 23	Candler	Buncombe	491	11- 1-63	15
Cain, Lee Roy, P.O. Box 34	Elizabethtown	Bladen	646	11- 1-66	13
Calloway, David Thomas, Route 2	King	Stokes	722	11- 1-68	11
Camp, Sr., James Monroe, 1203 N. Oakwood St.	Gastonia	Gaston	369	11- 1-64	9
Campbell, James Woodrow, 621 Spruce Street	Mooresville	Iredell	496	11- 1-64	4
Carawan, Henry Benaga, P.O. Box 419	Washington	Beaufort	104	11- 1-68	15
Carpenter, Jonathan Harvey, 306 N. Main St.	Rutherfordton	Rutherford	91	11- 1-66	20
Carriker, Grady Isaiah, Route 1	Kittrell	Vance	229	11- 1-63	15
Carter, Robert Allen, 504 Tokay Drive	Fayetteville	Cumberland	667	11- 1-66	8
Casey, Joseph Troy, 210 Forest Road	Wilmington	New Hanover	319	11- 1-64	5
Caton, Edgar Carol, 258 Miramar Drive	Concord	Cabarrus	720	11- 1-68	6
Caudle, Henry Thomas, 510 Frank Street	Raleigh	Wake	218	11- 1-62	6
Chambers, Adair Edward, 215 Milford Hills Rd.	Salisbury	Rowan	99	11- 1-64	17
Chambers, James Walter, P.O. Box 32	Clyde	Haywood	386	11- 1-63	10
Chesson, Wilmer Carlton, Box 602	Plymouth	Washington	59	11- 1-65	7
Church, George Bland, 22 Gracelyn Road	Asheville	Buncombe	118	11- 1-65	12
Clark, Homer Showalter, 821 Sand Hill Road	Asheville	Buncombe	491	11- 1-67	13
Clarke, Oscar Victor, Route 3, Box 26	Clinton	Sampson	98	11- 1-65	3
Cline, Gerald Clement, 5644 Londonderry Road	Charlotte 9	Mecklenburg	261	11- 1-65	3
Coates, Harry James, 611 Cameron Drive	Kinston	Lenoir	5	11- 1-64	4
Connell, Glenn, 2424 Cumberland Avenue	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	261	11- 1-65	3
Conner, Clarence Edward, Sr., 5132 Sunrise Terrace	Winston-Salem	Forsyth	289	11- 1-67	2
Covington, Forrest MacAllister, 932 Brentwood Dr.,	Burlington	Alamance	721	11- 1-66	2
Cowan, Elbert Winford, Route 3	Windsor	Bertie	5	11- 1-66	2
Cox, Sr., Beulah Arnold, P.O. Box 161	Ellerbe	Richmond	654	11- 1-66	7
Cox, Wilbur Franklin, 1214 W. Thomas St.	Rocky Mount	Nash	230	11- 1-68	6
Crater, Percy Albert, 104 N. Trade St.	Winston-Salem	Forsyth	434	11- 1-64	9
Crisp, Henry Watson, P.O. Box 421	Lowell	Gaston	590	11- 1-67	6

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Cross, William Thomas, P.O. Box 61	Gatesville	Gates	126	11- 1-63	10
Crutchfield, Everett Dace, 135 Clifton St.	Kernersville	Forsyth	669	11- 1-63	10
Crutchfield, William Guy, P.O. Box 151	Haw River	Alamance	272	11- 1-63	10
Culler, Robert Alan, 2405 National Road	High Point	Guilford	674	11- 1-66	7
Cunningham, Martin Crawford, 20 Josephine St.	Sylva	Jackson	459	11- 1-65	3
Curtis, Burnell Parker, P.O. Box 337	Wilmington	New Hanover	1	11- 1-63	6
Curtis, Edison Miller, 2213 Hardie St.	Greensboro	Guilford	128	11- 1-63	10
Dallas, Stedman Fulton, 912 Wade Avenue	Garner	Wake	634	11- 1-67	12
Darr, David William, 2727 Spring Garden Rd.	Winston-Salem	Forsyth	167	11- 1-68	6
Darroch, Jr., John Washburn, Route 3	Lillington	Harnett	302	11- 1-64	4
Davenport, Sr., Reynold Slade, P.O. Box 516	Jacksonville	Onslow	680	11- 1-66	7
Davidson, John Calvin, 343 So. Grace Street	Rocky Mount	Nash	230	11- 1-67	7
Davis, John Wesley, 1508 Park Avenue	New Bern	Craven	340	11- 1-63	6
Davis, Paul Maxwell, Apt. 58, Sec. B-4 1121 Myrtle Ave.	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	530	11- 1-62	11
Dean, Nathaniel Cook, P.O. Box 351	Norwood	Stanly	150	11- 1-64	9
Decker, J. D., Box 142	Murphy	Cherokee	146	11- 1-68	0
Der Yuen, Philip, 2220 Cumberland Avenue	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	700	11- 1-66	8
Deweese, Robert Kendrick, 20 Evergreen Ave.	West Asheville	Buncombe	665	11- 1-68	6
Dickson, Ralph Trantom, Rt. 4, Box 723	Kannapolis	Cabarrus	626	11- 1-68	0
Dilling, Jr., Marshall, P.O. Box 8	Gastonia	Gaston	369	11- 1-68	6
Downum, Ralph Roosevelt, Rt. 4, Box 648	Kannapolis	Cabarrus	626	11- 1-63	0
Duncan, Guy Allan, Route 1	Bostic	Rutherford	381	11- 1-64	4
Dunn, Edgar Floyd, P.O. Box 916	Aberdeen	Moore	550	11- 1-63	5
Dupree, Joseph Edward, 206 W. Donaldson Ave.	Raeford	Hoke	306	11- 1-65	3
Edgerton, Griffin Gabriel, P.O. Box 244	Kenly	Johnston	257	11- 1-68	6
Edwards, Charles William, Route 3, Box 159-A	Lillington	Harnett	302	11- 1-64	4
Edwards, Roy Alvie, 228 So. Third Avenue	Siler City	Chatham	403	11- 1-63	10
Elliott, Austin Lafayette, 425 Lexington Ave.	Thomasville	Davidson	214	11- 1-63	5
Faulk, Joel Jackson, 2342 East Seventh St.	Charlotte 4	Mecklenburg	676	11- 1-64	14
Fay, Scott Stuart, P.O. Box 6114	Asheville	Buncombe	650	11- 1-64	23

Felton, Jesse Howard, 1420 Hill Street	Rocky Mount	Edgecombe	602	11- 1-64	4
Fleming, Jr., Charles Burton, 205 Lander St.	Charlotte 8	Mecklenburg	261	11- 1-66	2
Fletcher, Charles Thomas, 1412 Woodland Dr.	Durham	Durham	210	11- 1-63	10
Fogler, Irving Efrim, 444 McPhee Drive	Fayetteville	Cumberland	679	11- 1-68	0
Folden, Hetzel Wayne, 201 Seneca Place	Charlotte 9	Mecklenburg	261	11- 1-64	4
Foulk, Clarence Basil, 1811 McGougan Road	Fayetteville	Cumberland	679	11- 1-66	12
Fountain, Garland Gustus, 4729 Long Leaf Hills Dr.	Wilmington	New Hanover	395	11- 1-68	10
Freeman, Neill Willis, P.O. Box 172	Biscoe	Montgomery	437	11- 1-67	21
Freeman, Richard Tyler, 214 Hames Street	Lexington	Davidson	473	11- 1-64	13
Fulbright, James Crawford, P.O. Box 512	Lowell	Gaston	590	11- 1-64	4
Fulbright, Wm. Henry, 104 Willowbrook Circle	Lexington	Davidson	473	11- 1-63	5
Funk, Thomas Milton, 328 Kelly Avenue	Mooresville	Iredell	496	11- 1-68	10
Gaines, James Carl, 322 Hickory Avenue	Sanford	Lee	172	11- 1-66	7
Garrison, Raymond Haskell, R.F.D. 3, Box 205	Weaverville	Buncombe	170	11- 1-66	13
Gibbs, Hubert Lawrence, 259 Tenth Ave., S.E.	Hickory	Catawba	343	11- 1-67	13
Glascock, Richard Clyde, Route 1	Mocksville	Davie	134	11- 1-64	9
Godwin, George Washington, Rt. 2, Box 36	Fayetteville	Cumberland	731	11- 1-68	5
Goforth, June Haywood, Box 1136	Fayetteville	Cumberland	731	11- 1-62	11
Goins, Alfred Ormand, 102 Dorchester Ave.	Asheville	Buncombe	650	11- 1-68	7
Goodwin, Willie Parker, 214 East Eden St.	Edenton	Chowan	7	11- 1-66	13
Gouge, Howard William, 119 South Main	Marion	McDowell	237	11- 1-64	4
Graham, Charles Durwood, P.O. Box 114	Enfield	Halifax	447	11- 1-66	19
Graham, Jesse Garland, Rt. 2, Box 312	Newport	Carteret	706	11- 1-66	2
Grant, Biver Ernest, P.O. Box 306	Windsor	Bertie	5	11- 1-64	*9
Grant, Clifton Gordon, 121 Jackson St.	Roanoke Rapids	Halifax	519	11- 1-67	10
Green, Edgar Leonidas, 210 Woodrow Ave.	High Point	Guilford	344	11- 1-65	3
Green, George Anderson, 917 N. Lafayette St.	Shelby	Cleveland	534	11- 1-66	13
Green, Vivian Wilson, P.O. Box 681	Aberdeen	Moore	550	11- 1-67	1
Greene, Anderson Bailey, Route 3	Shelby	Cleveland	534	11- 1-67	13
Greene, Thomas Walter, Route 3, Box 212	Mount Gilead	Montgomery	127	11- 1-64	4
Greer, William Clifford, Box 69	Lexington	Davidson	696	11- 1-68	18
Griffin, Arthur Gwynn, P.O. Box 237	Davidson	Mecklenburg	176	11- 1-63	5
Guptill, Clarence William, 1701 Colonial Way	New Bern	Craven	724	11- 1-66	2
Guyol, Elmer Andre, 702 Garden Street	Sanford	Lee	172	11- 1-66	2
Hadley, William Riley, 7923 Alderman St.	Jacksonville, Fla.	(Out of State)	319	11- 1-64	18

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Hale, Russell Peabody, 1703 W. Cone Blvd.	Greensboro	Guilford	76	11- 1-67	12
Hall, Jr., James, 1928 Brevard Road	Hendersonville	Henderson	387	11- 1-67	1
Hall, William James, Rt. 1, Box 69	Fayetteville	Cumberland	679	11- 1-66	13
Ham, Cecil Lawrence, P.O. Box 302	Black Mountain	Buncombe	663	11- 1-65	8
Hamilton, Max, Route 11	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	205	11- 1-64	4
Hamilton, Paul Daniel, Rt. 3, Box 47	Denton	Randolph	404	11- 1-66	2
Hammond, Jr., William Clinton, 1107 N. Elm St.	Lumberton	Robeson	667	11- 1-67	1
Hardee, Walter Herman, P.O. Box 398	Greenville	Pitt	284	11- 1-68	16
Hardy, Alvis Rex, 1010 Cypress Drive	Wilmington	New Hanover	319	11- 1-65	13
Hardy, William Howard, P.O. Box 13	Siloam	Surry	390	11- 1-67	21
Harmon, William Haun, 1826 Birchcrest Dr.	Charlotte 5	Mecklenburg	676	11- 1-64	9
Harrell, Britton, Route 2	Colerain	Bertie	171	11- 1-68	18
Harrell, Franklin Smithwick, P.O. Box 107A	Merry Hill	Bertie	171	11- 1-64	4
Harrell, William Person, P.O. Box 114	Colerain	Bertie	171	11- 1-67	7
Harrelson, S.S., 2315 N. Independence Blvd.	Charlotte 5	Mecklenburg	692	11- 1-65	3
Harrington, Craven English, P.O. Box 711	Raleigh	Wake	500	11- 1-66	22
Harris, James Allen, 1503 Palm St.	Goldsboro	Wayne	634	11- 1-64	9
Harris, Jesse Wilson, P.O. Box 635	Enfield	Halifax	447	11- 1-68	5
Harrison, John Ralph, P.O. Box 226	Kings Mountain	Cleveland	339	11- 1-67	1
Hartis, Lewis Philip, 1104 Central Drive	Kannapolis	Cabarrus	695	11- 1-64	9
Hartman, Shutt, Route 2	Clemmons	Davidson	289	11- 1-66	8
Harton, Frank Norville, 2834 Palm Avenue	Charlotte 5	Mecklenburg	676	11- 1-63	6
Hasskamp, Harry William,		(Out of State)	237	11- 1-65	3
Hatley, Jack Sidney, P.O. Box 6	Wendell	Wake	565	11- 1-63	10
Hawks, Ned Armfield, P.O. Box 666	Sylva	Jackson	459	11- 1-67	18
Haywood, William Frank, P.O. Box 415	Mount Gilead	Montgomery	127	11- 1-63	5
Helms, Earl Anders, 633 Secrest Street	Belmont	Gaston	627	11- 1-68	6
Herring, James Lloyd, Route 1, Box 12	Clinton	Sampson	98	11- 1-68	6
Hester, Sr., Richard Harper, P.O. Box 282	Norlina	Warren	630	11- 1-63	5
Hicks, William Bradsher, Route 1	Roxboro	Person	113	11- 1-64	14

Hill, Charles Edward, 2203 Woodland Avenue	New Bern	Craven	568	11- 1-68	6
Hill, Gerald Durwood, Rt. 2, Box 67B	Newport	Carteret	706	11- 1-66	2
Hill, Leon Kenneth, 2520 Harrison St.	Wilmington	New Hanover	319	11- 1-68	2
Hines, Ben Gerald, 1106 So. Second St.	Smithfield	Johnston	84	11- 1-66	7
Hinton, Jr., Score Jackson, Route 1	Middlesex	Johnston	165	11- 1-63	10
Hodgin, Keith Grimes, 721 Worth Street	Asheboro	Randolph	699	11- 1-64	14
Hogan, Harvey Theodore, 531 North Main St.	Graham	Alamance	492	11- 1-68	11
Hogg, Mervin Eugene, 7521 Woodstream Drive	Charlotte 9	Mecklenburg	692	11- 1-67	1
Holland, Herbert Delno, Box 1	Asheboro	Randolph	699	11- 1-66	8
Holmes, Robert Flake	Olin	Iredell	226	11- 1-67	1
Holoman, Jr., Dallas, 3033 Rothgeb Dr.	Raleigh	Wake	40	11- 1-65	8
Holomon, George Chreston, c/o Boylan-Pearce Co.	Raleigh	Wake	40	11- 1-63	14
Holt, James Franklin Butler, Route 2	Princeton	Johnston	617	11- 1-63	5
Honeycutt, Gilbert Mansfield, 208 Hull Rd.	Fayetteville	Cumberland	679	11- 1-68	*6
Hooks, William Arthur, P.O. Box 450	Smithfield	Johnston	84	11- 1-65	13
Hooper, James Kelly, Route 1, Box 106	Andrews	Cherokee	529	11- 1-65	13
Hornaday, John Albert, 1104 Garnett St.	Henderson	Vance	229	11- 1-65	14
Horne, James Henry, 524 Vista Drive	Fayetteville	Cumberland	679	11- 1-64	9
House, Jesse Owen, 615 Arch St.	High Point	Guilford	674	11- 1-68	11
Howard, Jackson Grady, Route 3, Box 186	China Grove	Rowan	695	11- 1-64	4
Howell, Johnny Eugene, 1910 White St.	Gastonia	Gaston	369	11- 1-66	2
Howell, Lester Ralph, c/o Cherry Hospital	Goldsboro	Wayne	112	11- 1-68	6
Hoyle, Frank Howard, P.O. Box 404	Drexel	Burke	670	11- 1-64	9
Hudler, Goyn Herbert, Route 1	Boonville	Yadkin	162	11- 1-66	2
Huff, Coy Jackson, 535 Fairview Rd.	Asheville	Buncombe	446	11- 1-66	17
Hughes, Waits Waye, 34 Skyland Circle	Asheville	Buncombe	118	11- 1-62	6
Hughett, Oakley Guy, 2727 Catherine Dr.	Burlington	Alamance	409	11- 1-65	3
Hulbert, Albert Vance, 616 No. Endor St.	Sanford	Lee	151	11- 1-66	7
Humphrey, George Dudley, P.O. Box 1318	Wilmington	New Hanover	1	11- 1-63	18
Hunt, Farris Allen, 834 Anarine Rd.	Fayetteville	Cumberland	667	11- 1-67	2
Hurdle, William Hayes, P.O. Box 158	Engelhard	Hyde	328	11- 1-68	5
Ingram, Harry Allen, Route 6, Box 622	Morganton	Burke	217	11- 1-67	7
Jackson, Jr., Frank Lee, P.O. Box 146	Davidson	Mecklenburg	176	11- 1-64	5
Jackson, Herman Stacy, 204 Borden Ave.	Wilmington	New Hanover	395	11- 1-68	0

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Jackson, Sr., Ralph Hilliard, P.O. Box 1145	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	676	11- 1-64	14
Jeffords, Robert Sidney, Box 452	Winston-Salem	Stokes	167	11- 1-66	2
Jenkins, Joe Elam, Route 2	Stanfield	Stanly	618	11- 1-66	2
Jenkins, Walter Reece, 5600 Randolph Rd.	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	618	11- 1-68	0
Jernigan, Clarence Eugene, Route 1	Dunn	Sampson	206	11- 1-66	8
Johnson, Henry Bruce, Route 1	Trenton	Jones	81	11- 1-63	10
Johnson, Henry McNair, P.O. Box 35	Willard	Pender	595	11- 1-67	22
Johnson, James Benjamin, 916 E. 36th St.	Charlotte 5	Mecklenburg	676	11- 1-64	14
Johnson, Jr., James Starling, P.O. Box 11274	Raleigh	Wake	500	11- 1-66	2
Johnson, John Wesley, Route 2, Box 138	Grifton	Lenior	243	11- 1-66	2
Johnson, Whitson Durham, 23 E. Randolph Rd.	Shelby	Cleveland	202	11- 1-68	11
Johnson, William Lee, P.O. Box 41	Norwood	Stanly	150	11- 1-64	14
Johnston, Frederick Dewan, 512 Patterson St.	China Grove	Rowan	283	11- 1-65	3
Johnston, James Guy, 1500 Wachovia Bank Bldg.	Charlotte 2	Mecklenburg	261	11- 1-67	17
Joines, James Monroe	Wilbar	Wilkes	573	11- 1-66	9
Jones, Durham Elmo, P.O. Box 2004	New Bern	Craven	568	11- 1-68	6
Jones, Robert Breathard, P.O. Box 39	Pink Hill	Lenoir	13	11- 1-66	19
Joseph, Nicholas Alex, P.O. Box 632	Dunn	Harnett	147	11- 1-64	10
Joyner, Charles Rogers, 16 Hemlock Lane	Monroe, Conn.	(Out of State)	40	11- 1-67	1
Joyner, Sr., Roy Thomas, R.F.D., Box 197	Rich Square	Northampton	488	11- 1-65	*3
Kahn, Berl Maurice, P.O. Box 780	Goldsboro	Wayne	112	11- 1-64	14
Kaylor, Homer Eugene, P. O. Box 337	Hickory	Catawba	343	11- 1-66	13
Kerr, Graham Pinkney, 2121 Fernwood Dr.	Charlotte 3	Mecklenburg	676	11- 1-64	14
Kerr, William Edward, 2112 Fernwood Drive	Charlotte 3	Mecklenburg	676	11- 1-64	13
Kincaid, Arnold Wesley, Box 68	Bessemer City	Cleveland	339	11- 1-66	24
King, Haywood Sherrill, 114 S. Fifth Ave.	Wilmington	New Hanover	319	11- 1-65	18
Kinzie, Fred Clinton, P.O. Box 155	Spindale	Rutherford	673	11- 1-66	21
Knupp, Everett Edward, P.O. Box 412	Old Fort	McDowell	401	11- 1-66	8
Kramer, Theodore Roosevelt, P.O. Box 428	Hickory	Catawba	343	11- 1-64	*4
Lancaster, William Llewellyn, 204 W. 6th Ave.	Raeford	Hoke	306	11- 1-63	15

Lane, Joseph S., 109 Banks St.	Jacksonville	Onslow	83	11- 1-66	2
Lanier, Dayton Jay, 2214 Chestnut St.	Wilmington	New Hanover	319	11- 1-64	5
Latham, Augustus Oden, Box 249	Washington	Beaufort	104	11- 1-68	0
Leach, Cornelius, 15 Louisana Ave.	West Asheville	Buncombe	650	11- 1-64	21
Ledford, LeRoy, 1300 Hammock Ave.	Shelby	Cleveland	202	11- 1-68	11
Lee, George William, P.O. Box 232	Polkville	Cleveland	534	11- 1-66	13
Lee, Neil Archie, Route 3	Fairmont	Robeson	528	11- 1-64	13
Leggett, Sr., George Raymond, P.O. Box 427	Plymouth	Washington	59	11- 1-65	11
Leonard, Burgess Guy, 1601 E. Green St.	High Point	Guilford	344	11- 1-65	3
Leonard, Robert Blackwell, 106 W. King St.	Kings Mountain	Cleveland	339	11- 1-68	6
Lewis, Ira Oscar, P.O. Box 2091	Charlotte 1	Mecklenburg	261	11- 1-64	4
Lisk, Fred Baxter, P.O. Box 1062	Concord	Cabarrus	720	11- 1-68	6
Litaker, John Rankin, 6601 Elmwood Circle	Charlotte 8	Mecklenburg	728	11- 1-64	4
Little, Clarence Luther, Route 4	Murphy	Cherokee	426	11- 1-65	3
Little, Sr., Franklin Donald, Rt. 8, Box 268E	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	676	11- 1-62	6
Liverman, Edwin Wright, 103 No. Church St.	Concord	Cabarrus	32	11- 1-67	13
Lockhart, William Ray, Box 272	Drexel	Burke	670	11- 1-63	10
Loftis, Ronald Wilson, 707 So. Main St.	Hope Mills	Cumberland	391	11- 1-68	0
Long, Richard Hargrove, 418 Stilwell Oaks Road	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	692	11- 1-67	1
Looper, Wallace Eugene, Route 3	Wake Forest	Wake	282	11- 1-68	2
Love, Billy Fetzer, P.O. Box 3317	Concord	Cabarrus	32	11- 1-67	1
Lucas, Richard Harvey, Box 366	Plymouth	Washington	59	11- 1-65	20
Lupton, Stacy Thomas, 41 E. Central Drive	Havelock	Craven	688	11- 1-63	10
Lyle, Donald Leon, 1003 Stonecutter St.	Spindale	Rutherford	673	11- 1-63	5
Lynn, Joseph Toomey, P.O. Box 215	Hickory	Catawba	343	11- 1-65	3
Macon, Horace Linwood, Route 2	Wake Forest	Wake	282	11- 1-63	6
MacPhail, Walter Russell, P.O. Box 5008	Asheville	Buncombe	118	11- 1-67	1
Maddry, John Franklin, 713 New Road	Raleigh	Wake	97	11- 1-68	10
Mahaffey, Lester Neal, 1901 Lansdale Dr.	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	692	11- 1-67	1
Mahaffey, Walter Carless, 1729 Chatham Ave.	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	692	11- 1-68	4
Margas, Pat Thomas, 2704 Jefferson Dr.	Greenville	Pitt	284	11- 1-65	3
Marshall, Zeph, 438 Nelson Drive	Jacksonville	Onslow	83	11- 1-64	9
Marshbourne, George Warren, P.O. Box 27	Spring Hope	Nash	187	11- 1-67	12
Martin, Robert Vance, 715 Shallowford Road	Lewisville	Forsyth	434	11- 1-64	*4
Massengill, Hubert Vernon, P.O. Box 303	Yanceyville	Caswell	11	11- 1-63	10

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Mathis, Gilbert Jeremaith, P.O. Box 631	Spindale	Rutherford	673	11- 1-68	0
McAlister, Thurston Blease, Route 4	Mebane	Alamance	272	11- 1-66	8
McCall, Jr., Frederick Marvin, 306 Maple St.	Brevard	Transylvania	267	11- 1-66	2
McCallum, Robert Alexander, P.O. Box 33	Candor	Montgomery	437	11- 1-65	3
McCanless, William Lindley, 209 E. Morgan St.	Raleigh	Wake	218	11- 1-67	1
McCormick, Spence Purvis, Route 1	Broadway	Harnett	172	11- 1-67	7
McCulloch, Ervin Wesley, General Delivery	Gold Hill	Rowan	657	11- 1-65	3
McDaniel, Millard Taft, 634 E. Cannon Ave.	Albemarle	Stanly	703	11- 1-66	2
McGlohon, Wayland Duke, 407 Park Avenue	Ayden	Pitt	498	11- 1-67	12
McHan, Walter Samuel, P.O. Box 261	Gatlinburg, Tenn.	(Out of State)	427	11- 1-64	9
McLamb, Andrew Franklyn, 1619 Grace St.	Wilmington	New Hanover	1	11- 1-63	14
McLeod, Ben Roy, Box 475	Wilmington	New Hanover	395	11- 1-68	0
McRae, Marshall Glenn, P.O. Box 131	Southern Pines	Moore	484	11- 1-66	14
Medlin, Pearlie Vance, P.O. Box 843	Wake Forest	Wake	282	11- 1-67	6
Mellette, Francis Marion, P.O. Box 25	Deep Run	Lenoir	304	11- 1-65	9
Miller, Joseph Gracey, 214 Webb St.	Statesville	Iredell	690	11- 1-64	21
Mims, Ivan Collins, P.O. Box 248	Holly Springs	Wake	115	11- 1-65	3
Mizelle, Cecil Jackson, P.O. Box 212	Scotland Neck	Halifax	689	11- 1-66	2
Moore, Evin Frederick, 717 Haymore St.	Mount Airy	Surry	691	11- 1-66	8
Moore, John Ellis, 118 York Avenue	Kannapolis	Cabarrus	626	11- 1-66	8
Morgan, Eric Earl, 602 Fairview Drive	Lexington	Davidson	696	11- 1-62	18
Morgan, Thomas Jefferson, 120 Park Circle	Winston-Salem	Forsyth	167	11- 1-68	18
Morse, William Clyde, 318 Ann St.	Rockingham	Richmond	495	11- 1-64	4
Moss, John Henry, 202 Meridian St.	Rutherfordton	Rutherford	91	11- 1-64	4
Moss, Sr., Paul Elliott, 246 Crestwood St.	High Point	Guilford	681	11- 1-63	5
Mosteller, James Edgar, 914 Montlieu Ave.	High Point	Guilford	344	11- 1-66	2
Mulkey, Harvey Lee, P.O. Box 71	Andrews	Cherokee	529	11- 1-68	15
Mullinax, Sr., Brady Wilson, 130 Joyce Lane	Kernersville	Forsyth	669	11- 1-64	9
Munson, Jr., William Edward, Rt. 2, Box 473M	Matthews	Mecklenburg	530	11- 1-67	6
Murr, Charles Craig, 4213 Hampshire Dr.	Greensboro	Guilford	118	11- 1-64	*9

Myers, Max	Norwood	Stanly	150	11- 1-64	9
Myers, Paul, 1403 Miller St.	Winston-Salem	Forsyth	685	11- 1-66	8
Nabors, LeRoy, 1824 Conover Drive	Fayetteville	Cumberland	679	11- 1-68	10
Nash, William Eckles, Route 3, Box 1145	Asheville	Buncombe	491	11- 1-65	8
Newman, William Henri, 141 Kings Drive	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	530	11- 1-64	13
Newton, Nelson Watkins, Route 2	Dunn	Sampson	206	11- 1-68	6
Nicholson, Sr., Raymond Rockhill, 16 Ensley St.	Sylva	Jackson	358	11- 1-67	13
Nicol, John Cargill, 3714 Castlerock Dr.	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	726	11- 1-64	4
Nobles, Walter Herman, 1800 Myrtle Ave.	Greenville	Pitt	284	11- 1-67	7
Noe, Earl McIntosh, P.O. Box 231	Beaufort	Carteret	109	11- 1-68	16
Odom, Earnest Elton, P.O. Box 244, Northampton Co.	Gaston	Northampton	519	11- 1-65	8
Ogle, William Francis, 516 Manor Dr.	High Point	Guilford	681	11- 1-68	0
Oliver George Melvin	Snow Hill	Greene	132	11- 1-66	6
Owens, Frank Neely, 2915 Somerset Drive	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	676	11- 1-64	14
Owens, William Robert, Route 1	Stantonsburg	Wilson	92	11- 1-68	19
Owens, Willie Franklin, c/o Post Office	Greenville	Pitt	284	11- 1-63	15
Patrick, Jr., David James, 1709 Ann St.	Wilmington	New Hanover	319	11- 1-67	13
Parham, Edwin Thomas, P.O. Box 566	Cary	Wake	555	11- 1-65	14
Parker, Norwood Price, 701 Cutchin St.	Clinton	Sampson	98	11- 1-65	21
Parks, Weldon Gilbert, C.C. No. 12, Box 22	Lexington	Davidson	473	11- 1-64	9
Pate, Cecil Miller, 1502 Palm St.	Goldsboro	Wayne	112	11- 1-67	9
Peery, Samuel Thomas, 215 West Third St.	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	676	11- 1-64	13
Pendergraph, Eckles McCoy, R.F.D. 3	Graham	Alamance	409	11- 1-68	6
Penney, Alva Elbert, 301 Northern Blvd.	Wilmington	New Hanover	1	11- 1-64	14
Peterson, Perry James, 803 Gales Avenue	Winston-Salem	Forsyth	289	11- 1-67	11
Petty, Raymond Arthur, P.O. Box 1255	Kinston	Lenoir	705	11- 1-65	*4
Phillips, Ray Elbert, P.O. Box 564	Washington	Beaufort	675	11- 1-66	21
Pigg, Horace William, 609 Greenland Dr.	Fayetteville	Cumberland	8	11- 1-62	11
Piner, Andrew Jesse, 2069 Osceola Drive	Fayetteville	Cumberland	679	11- 1-67	1
Polk, Charles Lee, 2205 No. Ocean Blvd.	Myrtle Beach, S.C.	(Out of State)	618	11- 1-66	13
Polter, William Max, 1605 E. Holly St.	Goldsboro	Wayne	634	11- 1-64	9
Poore, Dewey Minford, Route 4, Box 297	Candler	Buncombe	491	11- 1-66	2
Porter, Robie Daniel, P.O. Box 13	Benson	Johnston	431	11- 1-63	15
Postma, Gilbert, 110 Keaton Ave.	Wilmington	New Hanover	1	11- 1-68	0

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NAMES AND LOCAL ADDRESSES	RESIDES IN Post Office	County	Lodge No.	Date Expires	"C"
Potter, Charles Taylor, R.R. No. 4 Box 336	New Bern	Craven	3	11- 1-64	4
Powell, Barnard Jones, P.O. Box 604	Wake Forest	Wake	282	11- 1-62	11
Powell, John Luther, P.O. Box 447	Wallace	Duplin	595	11- 1-66	17
Powell, Roy Thomas, 315 N. College St.	Wake Forest	Wake	282	11- 1-64	5
Powers, Allan Grover, 518 Rice St.	Hamlet	Richmond	532	11- 1-63	10
Powers, Samuel Lewis, 507 N. Washington St.	Rutherfordton	Rutherford	91	11- 1-66	20
Price, Charles Thomas, 1917 Paladin St.	Fayetteville	Cumberland	114	11- 1-63	5
Price, Sr., Wm. Knox, c/o Masonic & Eastern Home	Greensboro	Guilford	261	11- 1-66	13
Prince, Jr., Marcus Brown, Rt. 11, Box 622	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	205	11- 1-68	11
Propst, Marshall Edward, 516 Rose Garden Terrace	Charlotte 4	Mecklenburg	728	11- 1-66	8
Putnam, Taft Spurgeon, P.O. Box 599	Lawndale	Cleveland	486	11- 1-67	12
Putney, Franklin Vandermark, 454 Glenbrook Dr.	Raleigh	Wake	40	11- 1-68	0
Pyatt, Joseph Grayson, P.O. Box 292	Marion	McDowell	237	11- 1-64	9
Pyatt, Sr., Kedar Davis, 1503 Hawthorne St.	Goldsboro	Wayne	112	11- 1-67	11
Quillin, Edward Lee, P.O. Box 344	Sanford	Lee	151	11- 1-66	7
Quinn, Jerry Julian, 803 West Road	Kinston	Lenoir	4	11- 1-66	13
Ramsey, Charles Albert, P.O. Box 22	Bakersville	Mitchell	357	11- 1-64	14
Ray, John Ben, 2 Georgia Road	Franklin	Macon	145	11- 1-62	6
Rector, Reuben William, P.O. Box 1021	Canton	Haywood	386	11- 1-68	6
Reynolds, James Ingram, P.O. Box 267	Clinton	Sampson	98	11- 1-68	18
Rhinehart, Clarence Lee, P.O. Box 837	Rockwell	Rowan	657	11- 1-68	16
Rhodes, George, P.O. Box 126	Windsor	Bertie	5	11- 1-66	13
Rhoney, William Austin, R.F.D. 3, Box 113-A	Vale	Catawba	502	11- 1-63	5
Rhyne, Raymond Earl, 407 Hawthorne St.	Mount Holly	Gaston	544	11- 1-64	14
Rice, Reuben Nathaniel, Rt. 4, Box 423	New Bern	Craven	725	11- 1-67	1
Richardson, James Douglas, Rt. 1, Box 168	Leaksville	Rockingham	136	11- 1-68	0
Riggs, Charles Leroy, 1500 Starbrook Drive	Charlotte 9	Mecklenburg	369	11- 1-62	11
Riggs, Sr., William Clyde, 2625 Townsend Ave.,	Jacksonville, Fla.	(Out of State)	319	11- 1-68	11
Rimer, Harold Raymond, R.D. No. 10, Box 238	Charlotte 5	Mecklenburg	715	11- 1-64	4
Robinson, Sr., Johnny Mack, 101 Piedmont Rd.	Belmont	Gaston	627	11- 1-68	11

Rochelle, Jerry Ike, General Delivery	Sneads Ferry	Onslow	83	11- 1-67	1
Rood, Hood Waldo, 219 So. Academy St.	Cary	Wake	198	11- 1-67	7
Ross, Marion Tillit, P.O. Box 1044	Wilmington	New Hanover	1	11- 1-67	23
Rowland, Harril Lee, 161 Shasta Lane	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	530	11- 1-63	5
Royal, Franklin William	Glade Valley	Alleghany	423	11- 1-63	*16
Royals, Robert Jones, Rt. 2, Box 254	Trinity	Randolph	732	11- 1-68	0
Russell, Jack Belmont, 1500 East Blvd.	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	702	11- 1-63	10
Sanderson, James Claude, P. O. Box 712	Carolina Beach	New Hanover	319	11- 1-64	4
Saunders, Robert Bruce, 417 Banks St.	Graham	Alamance	492	11- 1-64	9
Scarboro, Jr., DeWitt Talmadge, P.O. Box 303	Mount Gilead	Montgomery	127	11- 1-67	6
Seabolt, Robert Clinton, 1006 Lexington Ave.	Greensboro	Guilford	76	11- 1-65	8
Self, Horace Burnett, 65 Appian Way	Arden	Buncombe	118	11- 1-68	0
Sells, Carl Mason, P.O. Box 913	Salisbury	Rowan	576	11- 1-67	6
Sheaffer, William Otto	Mail Not Delivered		667	11- 1-62	6
Shelton, Dewey Winford, 904 Nance Avenue	High Point	Guilford	681	11- 1-66	2
Shields, Homer Arledge, P.O. Box 291	Tryon	Polk	605	11- 1-65	3
Shroat, James Julius, 38 Oak Park Rd.	Asheville	Buncombe	446	11- 1-67	1
Shulenberger, Lon Gaither, 420 So. Race St.	Statesville	Iredell	27	11- 1-66	2
Silver, Howard Dee, R.F.D. No. 1, Box 50	Burnsville	Yancey	397	11- 1-64	4
Simms, Obie DeArmond, 1015 Lunsford Place	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	261	11- 1-63	5
Simon, Jr., Lewis Scott, 808 Starbrook Dr.	Charlotte 9	Mecklenburg	726	11- 1-63	5
Simpson, John Alexander, 109 Grace Drive	Wilson	Wilson	230	11- 1-64	14
Skipper, Sr., Fred D. Rt. 6, Box 529, Eureka Springs	Fayetteville	Cumberland	667	11- 1-63	5
Slate, Thomas Gorrell, 1301 General Lee Ave.	Fayetteville	Cumberland	8	11- 1-66	*8
Smith, Charlie Raymond, P.O. Box 51	Louisburg	Franklin	413	11- 1-65	3
Smith, Edward Evander, R.F.D. 2	Raeford	Hoke	306	11- 1-65	3
Smith, Ernest Lee, 2329 Walker Ave.	Winston-Salem	Forsyth	289	11- 1-68	6
Smith, Randolph Gage, 1116 Norris St.	Raleigh	Wake	218	11- 1-67	11
Smith, Jr., Robert Brady, 3900 Beacon Dr.	Winston-Salem	Forsyth	434	11- 1-68	6
Smith, Sandy Buford, Route 1	Stanfield	Stanly	618	11- 1-67	1
Smith, William Hoke, P.O. Box 688	Greenville	Pitt	708	11- 1-67	1
Snipes, Harold Randolph, Rt. 3, Box 564	Wilmington	New Hanover	1	11- 1-68	4
Souther, Billy Edward, Route 2	Cycle	Wilkes	471	11- 1-63	5
Spicer, James Eldon, Route 1	Millers Creek	Wilkes	573	11- 1-64	9
Stalvey, Archie Boyd, P.O. Box 547	Lumberton	Robeson	114	11- 1-64	10

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NAMES AND LOCAL ADDRESSES	RESIDES IN Post Office	County	Lodge No.	Date Expires	"C"
Stanley, Jr., Francis West, 402 Oak St.	Greenville	Pitt	634	11- 1-65	9
Stephens, William Harley, 109 Riverton Ave.	Denton, Md.	(Out of State)	207	11- 1-68	18
Stevens, Frank Robert	Mail Not Delivered		446	11- 1-64	9
Stokes, Charles Butler, 2801 Temple Lane	Charlotte 5	Mecklenburg	676	11- 1-64	4
Story, Sr., James Clark, 1821 Fannwood Cir.	Winston-Salem	Forsyth	711	11- 1-66	2
Stott, Percy Clifton, 1006 So. Tarboro St.	Wilson	Wilson	565	11- 1-65	22
Strause, Nathan Philip, P.O. Box 1119	Henderson	Vance	229	11- 1-68	18
Strawn, Bonner Lee, 1832 Mecklenburg Ave.	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	676	11- 1-64	13
Swaim, Mark Chancellor, Route 1	Canton	Haywood	386	11- 1-67	7
Swain, Clyde Wesley, 2204 Englewood Ave.	Durham	Durham	352	11- 1-65	3
Talton, Jr., Moses Garland, 715 Baker St.	Oxford	Granville	122	11- 1-64	9
Tart, T. Eugene, Rt. 1	Newton Grove	Sampson	125	11- 1-68	0
Taylor, Harry Stanton, P.O. Box 147	Hookerton	Greene	95	11- 1-66	18
Taylor, Kenneth, 1000 Woodvale Ave.	Gastonia	Gaston	369	11- 1-64	9
Taylor, Rufus Elliott, P.O. Box 44	Robersonville	Martin	296	11- 1-65	13
Teague, Arthur Franklin, No. 1. Central Blvd.	Wilmington	New Hanover	319	11- 1-66	8
Terrell, Jack Hayes, Rt. 5, Box 310	Burlington	Alamance	409	11- 1-66	2
Thomas, Frank Lee, 501 Hollywood Blvd.	Havelock	Craven	433	11- 1-62	12
Thomason, William Floyd, 1108 River St.	Jacksonville	Onslow	680	11- 1-67	1
Thornton, James Oliver, P.O. Box 1423	Greensboro	Guilford	694	11- 1-66	13
Treadaway, James Alexander, 223 Bennett St.	Wadesboro	Anson	64	11- 1-65	3
Tucker, John Nathan,	High Point	Guilford	261	11- 1-64	4
Turner, Percy Pickett, P.O. Box 466	Greensboro	Guilford	542	11- 1-68	6
Tuten, L.E., P.O. Box 248	Henderson	Vance	122	11- 1-62	6
Umstead, Raymond Puckett, 110 Broughton St.	Garner	Wake	701	11- 1-65	3
Updegrove, Edward George, P.O. Box 749	High Point	Guilford	344	11- 1-67	16
Wade, William Franklin, 205 No. Watauga Ave.	Dunn	Harnett	147	11- 1-68	0
Walker, Leon Stokes, 510 E. Franklin St.	Chapel Hill	Orange	404	11- 1-66	2
Walker, Luther Howard, P.O. Box 1132	Kannapolis	Cabarrus	695	11- 1-67	7
Wall, Douglas McCoy, Rt. 1, Box 324	Youngsville	Wake	683	11- 1-68	2

Wallace, Gordon Edmund, 1308 Kilby Terrace	Anniston, Ala.	(Out of State)	387	11- 1-64	9
Walters, James Albert, 302 Rockspring Rd.	High Point	Guilford	716	11- 1-67	6
Ward, Harry Potter, 512 E. Mulberry St.	Goldsboro	Wayne	112	11- 1-62	11
Waters, William Rudolph, 1701 Green Springs Rd.	New Bern	Craven	568	11- 1-65	3
Watson, James Earl, P.O. Box 588	Mount Airy	Surry	691	11- 1-63	10
Weeks, Percy Leonard, Box 434	Mount Holly	Gaston	544	11- 1-66	8
Welch, Clarence Rufus, P.O. Box 2017	Charlotte 1	Mecklenburg	261	11- 1-67	13
Wescott, Justin Lee, 79 Swan St.	Buffalo, N.Y.	(Out of State)	692	11- 1-64	10
West, James Arthur, 1319 Princess St.	Wilmington	New Hanover	1	11- 1-65	5
Westbrooks, Edward Marion, 1231 Fairview St.	Greensboro	Guilford	552	11- 1-68	13
White, Jack Griggs, 515 Jefferson Ave.	New Bern	Craven	568	11- 1-62	6
White, James Thaddeus, Rt. 1, Gastonia Hy.	Bessemer City	Gaston	668	11- 1-63	15
White, James Urshel, 409 E. Lexington Ave.	High Point	Guilford	674	11- 1-65	3
White, Thomas William, 1007 Riverside Dr.	Lumberton	Robeson	114	11- 1-63	5
Whitfield, Leroy Beaman, Box 81	Hookerton	Greene	95	11- 1-66	8
Whitley, Morris Curtis, 2208 Fernwood Dr.	Greensboro	Guilford	656	11- 1-66	8
Whittington, George Oliver, Route 1	Bunnlevel	Harnett	302	11- 1-64	4
Williams, Clifton Forbes	Shawboro	Camden	53	11- 1-66	2
Williams, James Edwin, P.O. Box 531	Dunn	Harnett	147	11- 1-64	9
Williams, J.O. Leland, 220 Benson Road	Garner	Wake	701	11- 1-67	6
Williams, William Neal, P.O. Box 742	Stokesdale	Guliford	428	11- 1-65	8
Williamson, Carl Rost, 1748 Merriman Ave.	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	261	11- 1-64	4
Wilson, Charles Lindbergh, Division St.	Norlina	Warren	630	11- 1-64	4
Wilton, Harold Adolphus, P.O. Box 113	Newport	Carteret	706	11- 1-66	2
Wood, Jr., E.H., P.O. Box 833	Troy	Montgomery	718	11- 1-65	3
Woodard, Thomas Wathew, P.O. Box 144	Lucama	Wilson	527	11- 1-64	4
Woody, Edmond Dixon, 2501 Roxboro Rd.	Durham	Durham	210	11- 1-63	10
Wooten, Royal Preston, P.O. Box 66	Union Grove	Iredell	571	11- 1-68	15
Wright, Coolidge, Rt. 1, Box 242	Clarendon	Columbus	563	11- 1-68	6
Wright, De Costor, P.O. Box 176	Mooresboro	Cleveland	388	11- 1-63	15

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NAMES AND LOCAL ADDRESSES	RESIDES IN Post Office	County	Lodge No.	Date Expires	"C"
Carter, Walter Lee, 2117 Gibson Ave.	Wilmington	New Hanover	1	11- 1-68	0
Davis, Jr., Chester Martin, 29 Foster Circle	Ft. Rucker, Ala.	(Out of State)	667	11- 1-64	4
Everest, Jr., Charles Pomeroy, 4331 Erie Dr.	Winston-Salem	Forsyth	289	11- 1-64	4
Futrelle, Jr., William Leon, 2204 Market St.	Wilmington	New Hanover	1	11- 1-68	0
Gregory, Eugene Robert, P.O. Box 27	Lillington	Harnett	302	11- 1-67	1
Griffin, Emsley Cleve, 301 West "G" St.	Kannapolis	Cabarrus	626	11- 1-65	3
Hardison, Audrey Burrell, 209 E. 11th St.	Washington	Beaufort	675	11- 1-68	0
Harrill, Charles Gold, 314 Hawthorne Road	Fayetteville	Cumberland	667	11- 1-64	4
Hollowell, Wilton Clement, 1506 East Holly St.	Goldsboro	Wayne	112	11- 1-65	9
Miller, Roy Ozell, 16 W. Greensboro St.	Wrightsville Beach	New Hanover	1	11- 1-68	0
Pearce, Vernon Lee, 658 Waite Ave.	Wake Forest	Wake	282	11- 1-64	4
Ulmer, Cecil Alcander, 902 Hawthorne Rd.	Wilmington	New Hanover	1	11- 1-68	0

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COUNTY	CLASS	Lodge Number
ALAMANCE		
Covington, Forrest M.	A	721
Crutchfield, William G.	A	272
Hogan, Harvey T.	A	492
Hughett, Oakley G.	A	409
McAlister, Thurston B.	A	272
Pendergraph, Eckles M.	A	409
Saunders, Robert B.	A	492
Terrell, Jack H.	A	409
ALLEGHANY		
Royal, Franklin William	A	423
ANSON		
Treadaway, James A.	A	64
AVERY		
Bailiff, Joe T.	A	598
Burleson, Ballard Eugene	A	598
BEAUFORT		
Carawan, Henry B.	A	104
Latham, Augustus O.	A	104
Phillips, Ray E.	A	675
Hardison, Audrey B.	B	675
BERTIE		
Cowan, Elbert W.	A	5
Grant, Biver E.	A	5
Harrell, Britton	A	171
Harrell, Franklin S.	A	171
Harrell, William P.	A	171
Rhodes, George	A	5
BLADEN		
Cain, Lee Roy	A	646
BUNCOMBE		
Baber, Arthur Tyson	A	118
Barnitz, Reuben	A	118
Bartlett, Verne E.	A	446
Boring, John E.	A	663
Cabe, Frank G.	A	491
Church, G. Bland	A	118
Clark, Homer S.	A	491
Deweese, Robert K.	A	665
Fay, Scott S.	A	650
Garrison, Raymond H.	A	170
Goins, Alfred O.	A	650
Ham, Cecil L.	A	663
Hughes, Waits W.	A	118
Huff, Coy J.	A	446
Leach, Cornelius	A	650
MacPhail, Walter R.	A	118
Nash, William E.	A	491
Poore, Dewey M.	A	491
Self, Horace B.	A	118
Shroat, James J.	A	446

COUNTY	CLASS	Lodge Number
BURKE		
Hoyle, Frank Howard	A	670
Ingram, Harry Allen	A	460
Lockhart, William Ray	A	670
CABARRUS		
Burris, John C.	A	32
Caton, Edgar C.	A	720
Dickson, Ralph T.	A	626
Downum, Ralph R.	A	626
Hartis, Lewis P.	A	695
Lisk, Fred B.	A	720
Liverman, Edwin W.	A	32
Love, Billy F.	A	32
Moore, John E.	A	626
Walker, Luther H.	A	695
Griffin, Emsley C.	B	626
CAMDEN		
Williams, Clifton F.	A	53
CARTERET		
Alford, Ben R.	A	405
Graham, Jesse G.	A	706
Hill, Gerald D.	A	706
Noe, Earl M.	A	109
Wilton, Harold A.	A	706
CASWELL		
Massengill, Hubert Vernon	A	11
CATAWBA		
Abernathy, Jacob Ray	A	606
Bowman, Elwyn D.	A	343
Gibbs, Hubert L.	A	343
Kaylor, Homer E.	A	343
Kramer, Theodore R.	A	343
Lynn, Joseph T.	A	343
Rhoney, William A.	A	502
CHATHAM		
Edwards, Roy Alvie	A	403
CHEROKEE		
Decker, J. D.	A	146
Hooper, James K.	A	529
Little, Clarence L.	A	426
Mulkey, Harvey L.	A	529
CHOWAN		
Goodwin, Willie Parker	A	7
CLEVELAND		
Beam, Robert L.	A	375
Green, George A.	A	534
Greene, Anderson B.	A	534
Harrison, John R.	A	339
Johnson, Whitson D.	A	202
Kincaid, Arnold W.	A	339
Ledford, LeRoy	A	202
Lee, George W.	A	534
Leonard, Robert B.	A	339
Putnam, Taft S.	A	486
Wright, De Costor	A	388

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COLUMBUS		
Wright, Coolidge	A	563
CRAVEN		
Adams, William L.	A	725
Banks, Nelson B.	A	724
Brinson, Lloyd G.	A	3
Davis, John W.	A	340
Guptill, C. William	A	724
Hill, Charles E.	A	568
Jones, Durham E.	A	568
Lupton, Stacy T.	A	688
Potter, Charles T.	A	3
Rice, Reuben N.	A	725
Thomas, Frank L.	A	433
Waters, William R.	A	568
White, Jack G.	A	568
CUMBERLAND		
Allison, Jr., Frank	A	667
Bird, Jr., Charles W.	A	667
Bruffey, John C.	A	679
Carter, Robert A.	A	667
Fogler, Irving E.	A	679
Foulk, Clarence B.	A	679
Godwin, George W.	A	731
Goforth, June W.	A	731
Hall, William J.	A	679
Honeycutt, Gilbert M.	A	679
Horne, James H.	A	679
Hunt, Farris A.	A	667
Loftis, Ronald M.	A	391
Nabors, LeRoy	A	679
Pigg, Horace W.	A	8
Piner, Andrew J.	A	679
Price, Charles Thos.	A	114
Shaeffer, William O.	A	667
Skipper, Sr., Fred D.	A	667
Slate, Thomas G.	A	8
Harrill, Charles G.	B	667
DAVIE		
Glascock, Richard C.	A	134
DAVIDSON		
Allen, Ned B.	A	404
Elliott, Austin L.	A	214
Freeman, Richard T.	A	473
Fulbright, William H.	A	473
Greer, William C.	A	696
Hartman, Shutt	A	289
Morgan, Eric E.	A	696
Parks, Weldon G.	A	473
Walker, Leon S.	A	404
DUPLIN		
Apple, Arthur	A	595
Powell, John L.	A	595

COUNTY	CLASS	Lodge Number
DURHAM		
Allison, Lloyd Avery	A	687
Baker, Alvin E.	A	687
Fletcher, Charles T.	A	210
Swain, Clyde W.	A	352
Woody, Edmond D.	A	210
EDGECOMBE		
Brown, Jr., Milton S.	A	58
Felton, Jesse H.	A	602
FORSYTH		
Barnes, James A.	A	434
Bullock, Willard F.	A	711
Conner, Clarence E., Sr.	A	289
Crater, Percy A.	A	434
Crutchfield, Everett D.	A	669
Darr, David W.	A	167
Martin, Robert V.	A	434
Morgan, Thomas J.	A	167
Mullinax, Sr., Brady W.	A	669
Myers, Paul	A	685
Peterson, Perry J.	A	289
Smith, Ernest L.	A	289
Smith, Jr., Robert B.	A	434
Story, Sr., James C.	A	711
Everest, Jr., Charles P.	B	289
FRANKLIN		
Smith, Charlie R.	A	413
GASTON		
Camp, Sr., James Monroe	A	369
Crisp, Henry Watson	A	590
Dilling, Jr., Marshall	A	369
Fulbright, James Crawford	A	590
Helms, Earl Anders	A	627
Howell, Johnny E.	A	369
Rhyne, Raymond E.	A	544
Robinson, Sr., Johnny M.	A	627
Taylor, Kenneth	A	369
Weeks, Percy L.	A	544
White, James T.	A	668
GATES		
Cross, William Thomas	A	126
GRANVILLE		
Talton, Jr., Moses Garland	A	122
GREENE		
Oliver, George M.	A	132
Taylor, Harry S.	A	95
Whitfield, Leroy B.	A	95
GUILFORD		
Culler, Robert A.	A	674
Curtis, Edison M.	A	128
Green, Edgar L.	A	344
Hale, Russell P.	A	76

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GUILFORD—Continued		
House, Jesse Owen	A	674
Leonard, Burgess G.	A	344
Moss, Sr., Paul E.	A	681
Mosteller, James E.	A	344
Murr, Charles C.	A	118
Ogle, William F.	A	681
Price, Sr., William K.	A	261
Seabolt, Robert C.	A	76
Shelton, Dewey W.	A	681
Thornton, James O.	A	694
Tucker, John N.	A	261
Turner, Percy P.	A	542
Updegrove, Edward G.	A	344
Walters, James A.	A	716
Westbrooks, Edward M.	A	552
Whitley, Morris C.	A	656
Williams, William N.	A	428
White, James U.	A	674
HALIFAX		
Bird, Robert M.	A	203
Graham, Charles D.	A	447
Grant, Clifton G.	A	519
Harris, Jesse W.	A	447
Mizelle, Cecil J.	A	689
HARNETT		
Brown, Jr., Thomas R.	A	302
Darroch, Jr., John W.	A	302
Edwards, Charles W.	A	302
Joseph, Nicholas A.	A	147
McCormick, Spence P.	A	172
Wade, William F.	A	147
Whittington, George O.	A	302
Williams, James E.	A	147
Gregory, Eugene R.	B	302
HAYWOOD		
Bell, Edward W.	A	386
Burrell, Clarence W.	A	386
Chambers, James W.	A	386
Rector, Reuben W.	A	386
Swaim, Mark C.	A	386
HENDERSON		
Hall, Jr., James A.	A	387
HOKE		
Dupree, Joseph E.	A	306
Lancaster, William L.	A	306
Smith, Edward E.	A	306
HYDE		
Burleson, Howard L.	A	643
Hurdle, William H.	A	328
IREDELL		
Alexander, Charles P.	A	496

COUNTY	CLASS	Lodge Number
IREDELL—Continued		
Brown, James Castle	A	27
Burgess, Cloude	A	299
Campbell, James W.	A	496
Funk, Thomas M.	A	496
Holmes, Robert F.	A	226
Miller, Joseph G.	A	690
Shulenberger, Lon G.	A	27
Wooten, Royal P.	A	571
JACKSON		
Cunningham, Martin C.	A	459
Hawks, Ned A.	A	459
Nicholson, Sr., Raymond R.	A	358
JOHNSTON		
Edgerton, Griffin G.	A	257
Hines, Ben G.	A	84
Hinton, Jr., Score J.	A	165
Holt, James F. B.	A	617
Hooks, William A.	A	84
Porter, Robie D.	A	431
JONES		
Johnson, Henry B.	A	81
LEE		
Gaines, James C.	A	172
Guyol, Elmer A.	A	172
Hulbert, Albert V.	A	151
Quillen, Edward L.	A	151
LENOIR		
Coates, Harry J.	A	4
Johnson, John W.	A	243
Jones, Robert B.	A	13
Mellette, Francis M.	A	304
Petty, Raymond A.	A	705
Quinn, Jerry J.	A	4
MACON		
Ray, John B.	A	145
MARTIN		
Taylor, Rufus E.	A	296
McDOWELL		
Gouge, Howard W.	A	237
Knupp, Everett E.	A	401
Pyatt, Joseph G.	A	237
MECKLENBURG		
Adams, Eldon S.	A	181
Allen, Harry A.	A	530
Bailey, Leland F. C.	A	692
Baucom, Henry C.	A	676
Brown, Fred O.	A	461
Cline, Gerald C.	A	261
Connell, Glenn	A	261

COUNTY	CLASS	Lodge Number
MECKLENBURG—Continued		
Davis, Paul M.	A	530
Der Yuen, Philip	A	700
Faulk, Joel J.	A	676
Fleming, Jr., Chas. B.	A	261
Folden, Hetzel W.	A	261
Griffin, Arthur G.	A	176
Hamilton, Max	A	205
Harmon, William H.	A	676
Harrelson, S. S.	A	692
Harton, Frank N.	A	676
Hogg, Mervin E.	A	692
Jackson, Jr., Frank L.	A	176
Jackson, Sr., Ralph H.	A	676
Jenkins, Walter R.	A	618
Johnson, James B.	A	676
Johnston, James G.	A	261
Kerr, Graham P.	A	676
Kerr, William E.	A	676
Lewis, Ira O.	A	261
Litaker, John R.	A	728
Little, Franklin D.	A	676
Long, Richard H.	A	692
Mahaffey, Lester N.	A	692
Mahaffey, Walter C.	A	692
Munson, Jr., William E.	A	530
Newman, William H.	A	530
Nicol, John C.	A	726
Owens, Frank N.	A	676
Peery, Samuel T.	A	676
Prince, Jr., Marcus B.	A	305
Propst, Marshall E.	A	728
Riggs, Charles L.	A	369
Rimer, Harold R.	A	715
Rowland, Harril L.	A	530
Russell, Jack B.	A	702
Simms, Obie D.	A	261
Simon, Jr., Lewis S.	A	726
Stokes, Charles B.	A	676
Strawn, Bonner L.	A	676
Welch, Clarence R.	A	261
Williamson, Carl R.	A	261
MITCHELL		
Ramsey, Charles Albert	A	357
MONTGOMERY		
Freeman, Neill Willis	A	437
Greene, Thomas Walter	A	127
Haywood, William Frank	A	127
McCallum, Robert A.	A	437
Scarboro, Jr., DeWitt T.	A	127
Wood, Jr., E. H.	A	718
MOORE		
Bower, Alden Grant	A	484
Dunn, Edgar F.	A	550
Green, Vivian W.	A	550
McRae, Marshall G.	A	484

COUNTY	CLASS	Lodge Number
NASH		
Battle, Elmo Elsworth	A	729
Brewer, Ray A.	A	602
Cox, Wilbur F.	A	230
Davidson, John C.	A	230
Marshbourne, George W.	A	187
NEW HANOVER		
Baggett, Charlie C.	A	1
Bullard, Coy S.	A	1
Casey, Joseph T.	A	319
Curtis, Burnell P.	A	1
Fountain, Garland G.	A	395
Hardy, Alvis R.	A	319
Hill, Leon K.	A	319
Humphrey, G. Dudley	A	1
Jackson, Herman S.	A	395
King, Haywood S.	A	319
Lanier, Dayton J.	A	319
McLamb, Andrew F.	A	1
McLeod, Ben R.	A	395
Padrick, Jr., David J.	A	319
Penny, Alva E.	A	1
Postma, Gilbert	A	1
Ross, Marion T.	A	1
Sanderson, James C.	A	319
Snipes, Sr., Harold R.	A	1
Teague, Arthur F.	A	319
West, James A.	A	1
Carter, Walter L.	B	1
Futrelle, Jr., W. Leon	B	1
Miller, Roy O.	B	1
Ulmer, Cecil A.	B	1
NORTHAMPTON		
Joyner, Roy T.	A	488
Odom, Earnest E.	A	519
ONSLOW		
Alberti, Sr., Herman George	A	83
Aman, William Albert Stephenson	A	83
Davenport, Sr., Reynold Slade	A	680
Lane, Joseph S.	A	83
Marshall, Zeph	A	83
Rochelle, Jerry Ike	A	83
Thomason, William F.	A	680
ORANGE		
Bivins, Hubert Oliver	A	19
Brown, Grady Anderson	A	19
PENDER		
Johnson, Henry McNair	A	595
PERSON		
Hicks, William Bradsher	A	113
PERQUIMANS		
Batchelor, Willie Henry	A	106

COUNTY	CLASS	Lodge Number
PITT		
Austin, Edward Denny	A	284
Hardee, Walter Herman	A	284
Margas, Pat T.	A	284
McGlohon, Wayland D.	A	498
Nobles, Walter H.	A	284
Owens, Willie F.	A	284
Smith, William Hoke	A	708
Stanley, Jr., Francis West	A	634
POLK		
Shields, Homer A.	A	605
RANDOLPH		
Brady, Sr., Gordon L.	A	444
Hamilton, Paul D.	A	404
Hodgin, Keith G.	A	699
Holland, Herbert D.	A	699
Royals, Robert J.	A	732
RICHMOND		
Adams, Jr., John B.	A	495
Cox, Sr., Beulah A.	A	654
Morse, William C.	A	495
Powers, Allan G.	A	532
ROBESON		
Barkley, John E.	A	474
Hammond, Jr., William C.	A	667
Lee, Neil A.	A	528
Stalvey, Archie B.	A	114
White, Thomas W.	A	114
ROCKINGHAM		
Richardson, James D.	A	136
ROWAN		
Beaver, Henry C.	A	99
Chambers, Adair E.	A	99
Howard, Jackson G.	A	695
Johnston, Frederick D.	A	283
McCulloch, Ervin W.	A	657
Rhinehart, Clarence L.	A	657
Sells, Carl M.	A	576
RUTHERFORD		
Abernathy, Vardy M.	A	381
Carpenter, Jonathan H.	A	91
Duncan, Guy A.	A	381
Kenzie, Fred C.	A	673
Lyle, Donald L.	A	673
Mathis, Gilbert J.	A	673
Moss, John H.	A	91
Powers, Samuel L.	A	91
SAMPSON		
Clarke, Oscar V.	A	98
Herring, James L.	A	98
Jernigan, Clarence E.	A	206
Newton, Nelson W.	A	206
Parker, Norwood P.	A	98
Reynolds, James I.	A	98
Tart, T. Eugene	A	125

COUNTY	CLASS	Lodge Number
STANLY		
Bolen, Monroe M.	A	637
Butler, Gordon L.	A	529
Dean, Nathaniel C.	A	150
Jenkins, Joe E.	A	618
Johnson, William L.	A	150
McDaniel, Millard T.	A	703
Myers, Max	A	150
Smith, Sandy Buford	A	618
STOKES		
Calloway, David T.	A	722
Jeffords, Robert S.	A	167
SURRY		
Hardy, William H.	A	390
Moore, Evin F.	A	691
Watson, James E.	A	691
TRANSYLVANIA		
Barkley, Kenneth L.	A	267
McCall, Jr., Frederick M.	A	267
VANCE		
Carriker, Grady I.	A	229
Hornaday, John A.	A	229
Strause, Nathan P.	A	229
Tuten, L. E.	A	122
WAKE		
Brown, James A.	A	218
Burnette, Earl F.	A	40
Caudle, Henry T.	A	218
Dallas, Stedman F.	A	634
Harrington, Craven E.	A	500
Hatley, Jack S.	A	565
Holoman, Jr., Dallas	A	40
Holoman, G. Chreston	A	40
Johnson, Jr., James S.	A	500
Looper, Wallace E.	A	282
Macon, Horace L.	A	282
Maddry, John F.	A	97
McCanless, William L.	A	218
Medlin, Pearlie V.	A	282
Mims, Ivan C.	A	115
Parham, Edwin T.	A	555
Powell, Barnard J.	A	282
Powell, Roy T.	A	282
Putney, Franklin V.	A	40
Rood, Hood W.	A	198
Smith, R. Gage	A	218
Umstead, Raymond P.	A	701
Wall, Douglas McCoy	A	683
Williams, J. O. Leland	A	701
Pearce, Vernon L.	B	282

COUNTY	CLASS	Lodge Number
WARREN		
Hester, Sr., Richard H.	A	630
Wilson, Charles L.	A	630
WASHINGTON		
Allen, Hubert H.	A	59
Chesson, Wilmer C.	A	59
Leggett, Sr., George R.	A	59
Lucas, Richard H.	A	59
WAYNE		
Best, John H.	A	634
Harris, James A.	A	634
Howell, Lester R.	A	112
Kahn, Berl M.	A	112
Pate, Cecil M.	A	112
Polter, William M.	A	634
Pyatt, Sr., Kedar D.	A	112
Ward, Harry P.	A	112
Hollowell, Wilton Clement	B	112
WILKES		
Joines, James Monroe	A	573
Souther, Billy Edward	A	471
Spicer, James Eldon	A	573
WILSON		
Bailey, Paul Aaron	A	527
Boyette, Thurman Bruce	A	712
Owens, William Robert	A	92
Simpson, John A.	A	230
Stott, Percy C.	A	565
Woodard, Thomas W.	A	527
YADKIN		
Hudler, Goyn H.	A	162
YANCEY		
Branton, Mack	A	717
Silver, Howard Dee	A	397
OUT OF STATE		
Brown, William H.	A	319
Butler, Gordon L.	A	529
Hadley, William R.	A	319
Hasskamp, Harry W.	A	237
Joyner, Charles R.	A	40
McHan, Walter S.	A	427
Polk, Charles L.	A	618
Riggs, Sr., William C.	A	319
Stephens, William H.	A	207
Stevens, Frank R.	A	446
Wallace, Gordon E.	A	387
Wescott, Justin L.	A	692
Davis, Jr., Chester M.	B	667

RULES FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF THE LECTURE SERVICE

(June 14, 1957)

(Promulgated by the Board of Custodians June 11, 1948, effective July 1, 1948, and amended in 1953, 1956, and April 17, and June 14, 1957).

1. Lecture Districts are hereby abolished.
2. A Class "A" Certified Lecturer may accept an invitation to instruct in the Ritualistic Work from any lodge in the State of North Carolina, regardless of location.
3. Class "A" Certified Lecturers are urged to co-operate in this work by accepting invitations to instruct in the Ritualistic Work from lodges located near their residences.
4. (a) The revised and amended Regulation 35-09, effective April 17, 1957, reads as follows:

1. REG. 35-09. Each subordinate lodge shall engage the services
2. of a Certified Lecturer for instruction in the ritualistic work
3. for one week or the equivalent thereof every two years.
4. At least fifteen consecutive calendar months shall elapse
5. between the dates of such instruction.
6. However, the Board of Custodians in its discretion, and
7. upon application, may excuse a lodge from this requirement
8. for not more than one year from the date of its application;
9. and thereafter the Board in its discretion, and for good rea-
10. sons, and upon another application, may excuse the lodge for
11. not more than one additional consecutive year (making a
12. limit of two consecutive years that such lodge may be ex-
13. cused), and after which no further excuse shall be granted
14. such lodge until after it has been actually instructed as
15. hereinbefore required.
16. A lodge that has been excused shall obtain the required
17. instruction in the ritualistic work through the Lecture Ser-
18. vice within one year after the last day of the period for which
19. it was last excused.
20. A lodge that has not been lectured *within four years* shall
21. *not* be excused.

EXAMPLE SHOWING OPERATION OF THE ABOVE

Lines			
	LODGE "A" was last lectured	1-1-57	
3	It is delinquent two years *after* that date	1-1-59	2 years
8	First application for excuse (1-1-59 good for 1 year)	1-1-60	1 year
11-12	Second application for excuse (1-1-60 good for 1 year)	1-1-61	1 year
20-21	TOTAL years from date last lectured		4 years
13-20	It can NOT be excused again until after it is lectured.		
18	MUST be lectured within *1 year* AFTER 1-1-61	1-1-62	1 year
	Years between lecture service, maximum		5 years

(b) For the instruction required in Regulation 35-09, as quoted above in lines numbered 1 through 5, the Grand Lodge will allow credit, or will refund to a lodge the fee, as set forth in Rule 5 below.

(As amended and approved by the Board of Custodians. 6-14-57).

5. The required one week of instruction may be complied with in either of the two following methods:
   (a) The lecturer may visit the lodge for the entire week on one trip, and he shall give not less than thirty hours of ACTUAL INSTRUCTION, *excluding* travel time and time when he is not actually instructing; *provided*, also that there shall be instruction on each of not less than five different days, *all within seven consecutive days*, and for this class of service the fee shall not exceed $50.00 per week, or

(As amended and approved by the Grand Lodge. Page 185. Pro. 1956).

   (b) He may make several trips to the lodge, in which case instruction must be given for not less than twenty-four (24) hours of ACTUAL INSTRUCTION, *excluding* travel time and time when he is not actually instructing; *provided*, also, that there shall be instruction on each of not less than five different days, and all within a period of thirty (30) days, beginning the first day of the lecturer's engagement, and for this class of service the fee shall not exceed $40.00 for twenty-four hours of instruction. (See Rule 13).
6. The Board of Custodians recommend that the instruction be rendered on consecutive days, whenever it is practical or if circumstances render it more efficient, but this is not mandatory.
7. A Class "A" Certified Lecturer, during the period he is on the roster of such class, is authorized to instruct subordinate lodges for compensation.
8. A Class "B" Certified Instructor, during the period he is on the roster of such class, may give instruction in the scope of work coming under Class "B," for which he shall *not* receive compensation; but this class of instruction shall not be considered as compliance with Regulation 35-09.
9. The Grand Lodge will refund to a lodge, or will allow it a credit for, the fee actually paid out as set forth in Rule 5, when the lodge is instructed for the minimum of one week in every consecutive two years as required in Regulation 35-09, and in these rules. If the lodge does *not make a payment* for the instruction the Grand Lodge will not allow a credit nor make a refund, but a *report* of the instruction given shall be made as required under Rule 13.
   (a) A subordinate lodge will pay the lecturer the fee for instruction according to the class of instruction given, as defined in Rule 5 (a) or (b). After payment of such fee, the lodge shall, within ten days, forward the lecturer's certificate of service, under the seal of the lodge, and the lecturer's receipt for payment to the Grand Secretary, who will determine whether, under Regulation 35-09, and these rules, the lodge is entitled to a refund for the instruction, and if it is, he will either reimburse the lodge by voucher the stipulated amount, or credit the lodge's account with the same.

(b) All such certificates for reimbursement of fees for lecture service paid out by lodges shall be filed with the Grand Secretary on Official Form No. 38 before December 20 of each year. (See Rule 13).

10. A lodge desiring instruction in the Ritualistic Work shall make all the necessary arrangements and agreements for the service with the Class "A" Certified Lecturer of its choice. Immediately after such service has been rendered, the lodge shall:

    (a) Pay all proper transportation, board and lodging expense, necessary to fill the engagement, incurred by the lecturer.

    (b) Transportation expense shall not exceed eight cents per mile actually traveled, each way, when private automobile is used, or it may be the actual railroad or bus fare between the residence of the lecturer and the lodge served. Transportation expense may properly be the subject of a special agreement between the lodge and the lecturer, before the instruction is commenced. It is the intent of the Board of Custodians that travel expense, board and lodging shall not be made an unreasonable burden on lodges.

    (c) Comply with Rule 13, below.

11. A lodge *not entitled* to instruction in the Ritualistic Work, under Regulation 35-09, and these rules, which accepts instruction from any Class "A" Certified Lecturer, will pay the fee, as defined in Rule 5 (a) or (b), for such instruction and the expenses of the lecturer rendering the service without reimbursement from the Grand Lodge. (See Rule 13).

12. A lodge may obtain *special* lecture service or instruction as often as it desires. But the lodge, in such case, will pay all fees as set forth in Rule 5 (a) or (b) and such expenses incident thereto which exceed one week in every two consecutive years as set forth in Rule 4, without reimbursement from the Grand Lodge. A report of any such work done must be made as required in Rule 13. (See also Rule 10).

13. Within ten days after *any* lecture service is rendered a lodge under Rule 5 (a) or (b), whether or not it is *paid for* by the lodge, shall be reported by the Secretary of the lodge to the Grand Secretary on N. C. Official Form 38, for the Grand Lodge records. [See also Rule 9 (b)].

14. In all cases in the ritualistic work where the Official Standard of the Work is silent as to any action in floor work, or other work, no Certified Lecturer or Certified Instructor, or any brother, shall be authorized to insist that his idea of the subject is positively the only way to do that particular thing; he may state "his opinion," but he is not authorized to insist that his way is the only way to do such work.

(As approved: Pro. 1953 P. 161. Effective 4-22-53).

15. The Grand Secretary shall prepare and provide all forms for certificates, reports and records under these rules.

16. When these rules become effective on June 14, 1957, all previous rules which are in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.
17. In computing the time elements set out in Regulation 39-09, the *last* day of any determinative-period-of-actual-instruction shall be used.

By authority of Regulation 35-08 (3).

BOARD OF CUSTODIANS,
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At Raleigh, June 14, 1957.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS
for a
DISTRICT or AREA
SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION

(Approved and issued by the Board of Custodians, Sept. 9, 1961)

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3:00 P.M. (Hour is only a suggestion).

1. Open a Master Mason's Lodge.
   Include purge and prayer.
2. Dispense with labor as at stated communication.
3. Dispense with labor as at emergent communication.
   Include Regulation 79-04.
4. Open a Lodge on the First Degree.
   Omit prayer. Observe Regulation 51-10(3).
5. Exemplify First Degree.
   Include reading and prayer. Omit lecture and charge. Observe Regulation 67-10(29).

9. Close Lodge on Second Degree.
   Include prayer.

7. Open a Lodge on the Second Degree.
   Include purge. Omit prayer.
8. Exemplify Second Degree.
   Include reading and lecture. Omit charge. Observe Regulation 67-10(29).

6. Close Lodge on First Degree.
   Include prayer.

10. Resume labor.
11. Call from labor to refreshment.

6:00 P.M. to 7:00 P.M. (Hours are only a suggestion).
Supper (This is only a suggestion).

12. Call from refreshment to labor.
    Include purge.
13. Exemplify first section of Master Mason's Degree.
    Include reading. Observe Regulation 67-10(29).
14. Exemplify second section of Master Mason's Degree, short form.
15. Proceed from point of change and exemplify in full form the second section of the Master Mason's Degree.
    Include prayer. Omit lecture and charge.
16. Close Master Mason's Lodge.
    Include prayer.

A minimum of five hours work shall constitute a School of Instruction, which may be in two sessions within fourteen consecutive days.

(Alternate Form Using Two Different Days)

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS
for a
DISTRICT or AREA
SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION

(Approved and issued by the Board of Custodians, Sept. 9, 1961)

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DATE: (First day)

1. Open a Master Mason's Lodge.
   Include purge and prayer.
2. Dispense with labor as at stated communication.
3. Dispense with labor as at emergent communication.
   Include Regulation 79-04.
4. Open a Lodge on the First Degree.
   Omit prayer. Observe Regulation 51-10(3).
5. Exemplify First Degree.
   Include reading and prayer. Omit lecture and charge. Observe Regulation 67-10(29).
6. Close Lodge on First Degree.
   Include prayer.
7. Open a Lodge on the Second Degree.
   Include purge. Omit prayer.
8. Exemplify Second Degree.
   Include reading and lecture. Omit charge. Observe Regulation 67-10(29).
9. Close Lodge on Second Degree.
   Include prayer.
10. Resume labor.
11. Call from labor to refreshment.

DATE: (Second day)

12. Call from refreshment to labor.
    Include purge.
13. Exemplify first section of Master Mason's Degree.
    Include reading. Observe Regulation 67-10(29).
14. Exemplify second section of Master Mason's Degree, short form.
15. Proceed from point of change and exemplify in full form the second section of the Master Mason's Degree.
    Include prayer. Omit lecture and charge.
16. Close Master Mason's Lodge.
    Include prayer.

A minimum of five hours work shall constitute a School of Instruction, which may be in two sessions within fourteen consecutive days.

RULES FOR GOVERNING THE OFFICIAL STANDARD OF THE WORK AND THE VOCABULARY

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(In effect June 8, 1962)

The Official Standard of the Work and the Vocabulary adopted by the Grand Lodge in April, 1942, are to be distributed under the following rules made by the Board of Custodians, pursuant to Regulation 30-03(1) as adopted new April 18, 1962 and Regulation 30-08, as adopted in 1948, and amended in 1957.

(Amended and promulgated by the Board of Custodians at Raleigh, N. C., June 8th, 1962).

Rule 1. The Grand Secretary shall be the Custodian of all unissued copies of the Official Standard of the Work and the Vocabulary, and shall issue them only upon proper written application. He shall provide all forms of application, receipts and other documents necessary to account for the same, and shall keep a record of all copies issued, and to whom issued.

Rule 2. Receipts for the Official Standard of the Work or the Vocabulary shall be given on such forms as may be prescribed by the Grand Secretary. Immediately on receipt of a copy of either, the brother receiving the same shall sign proper receipt, which shall be transmitted to the Grand Secretary promptly.

Rule 3. The Vocabulary shall be issued only to Secretaries of our subordinate lodges, who shall receipt therefor and be held responsible for the same. He shall transfer the Vocabulary, so issued to him, to his successor in office and take his receipt for the same, which shall be forwarded immediately to the Grand Secretary. In the event he is unable, for any cause, to deliver to his successor the copy of the Vocabulary in his possession, the Master of his lodge shall take up his copy of the Vocabulary and re-issue it to his successor in office, taking his receipt for the same which shall be forwarded immediately to the Grand Secretary.

Rule 4. Only each of those in the following categories are qualified to apply for and obtain the loan of one copy of the Official Standard of the Work, to-wit: Masters, Senior Wardens, Junior Wardens, Senior Deacons and Junior Deacons and the two Stewards of our subordinate lodges; Grand Lodge Line Officers, District Deputy Grand Masters; members of the Board of Custodians; Certified Lecturers, and Certified Instructors, while they occupy the said offices and positions and while they are qualified as indicated in this Rule.

Rule 4 (a) This subdivision of Rule 4 provides that in addition to the categories entitled to the loan and use of the Official Standard of the Work as set forth in the foregoing paragraph (Rule 4), any lodge subordinate to this Grand Lodge may have the loan and use of not more than five (5) additional copies of the Offical Standard of the Work to be loaned and used as hereafter provided.

If a lodge should apply for any or all of the said extra five (5) copies of the Official Standard of the Work it may loan not more than one (1) copy to a member of said lodge who may apply to the secretary thereof in writing and who desires to prepare himself to take the examination for proficiency in the ritualistic work, either

Class "A" or Class "B", as set out in REG. 35-07 and who pays the fee, if any is charged for the use of the same, which copy is not transferable in any manner whatever to any other person, and any such transfer, or attempt to transfer the same, shall be a serious Masonic offense.

Such application shall be made on the form prescribed by the Grand Secretary and filed with the secretary of the lodge of which the applicant is a member. A member of a lodge outside of this state cannot have a copy of the Official Standard of the Work.

The Official Standard of the Work may be loaned under this subdivision to a member for not more than one (1) year, and it may be renewed by the same member for an additional year, but it shall not be loaned to the same member for more than two (2) consecutive years. If the member shall pass the said examination for proficiency, either Class "A" or Class "B", he shall be entitled to have the loan and use of one copy as such certified member and as provided in the first paragraph of this Rule 4; however, if he shall fail to pass said examination within the said two (2) years he shall not be entitled any longer to have the said copy and he shall return the same to the secretary of his lodge. If he should transfer his membership to another lodge, either within or without the state, he shall promptly return the said copy to the lodge issuing it, and a failure or refusal to deliver up the said copy at any time upon demand by the secretary of said lodge or by the Grand Secretary or by the Grand Master shall be a Masonic offense, for which expulsion shall be the penalty upon conviction.

The secretary of the lodge may, in his discretion at any time, call for and examine any copy of the Official Standard of the Work loaned to a member of his lodge under this subdivision, and if he deems it necessary, he may proceed under the provisions of Rule 6, which Rule shall also apply in all respects as a part of this subdivision as far as it can be made to apply.

Any fee deposited for the loan and use of said copy issued hereunder shall be fixed from time to time by the Grand Secretary, but not to exceed $5.00.

If the Grand Secretary should require a fee for the loan and use of the said copy of the Official Standard of the Work under this subdivision, the fee shall be refunded to the member making the payment upon return of the said copy to the secretary. If the said copy should be lost, destroyed or for any reason cannot be produced, the said fee shall not be refunded.

All laws, rules and regulations of this Grand Lodge, including the "Rules for Governing the Official Standard of the Work and the Vocabulary," now in effect or that may be hereafter promulgated, shall apply to and govern the application, loan and use of any copy of the Official Standard of the Work issued under and by virtue of this subdivision, except Rules 3, 5(a) and 5(b); and excepting also as this subdivision may amend Rule 4 hereof by adding this subdivision (a) providing for another category qualified to obtain the loan and use of a copy thereof.

[See Regulation 30-03(1) enacted April 18, 1962; 30-06(1) enacted April 19, 1961 but repealed April 18, 1962 and 30-08 enacted April 22, 1948, and amended April 17, 1957].

Rule 5. (a) At the installation of officers following the annual election, each retiring officer elective or appointive in the Grand Lodge and in our subordinate lodges shall deliver to his successor in office the copy of the Official Standard of the Work held by him, and in the event his successor has a copy, then the retiring officer shall transfer his copy to a new officer entitled to the same, who does not have a copy, and the successor so receiving the Official Standard of the Work shall sign the prescribed receipt therefor, which shall be forwarded immediately to the Grand Secretary. It is the purpose of this paragraph to make it possible for a brother to retain the same copy of the Official Standard of the Work originally issued to him so long as he is entitled to have the use of the same under Rule 4.

(b) In case a brother, who holds a copy of the Official Standard of the Work under Rule 4, should vacate his office or lose the qualification which entitles him to the use of a copy of the Official Standard of the Work, due to death, resignation, lapse of certificate, or for any other cause, then the Master of his lodge shall take up the copy of the Official Standard of the Work held by such brother and either forward it to the Grand Secretary, or re-issue it to a brother who fills the vacancy, if any, and take a receipt for the same, which receipt he shall forward to the Grand Secretary immediately.

Rule 6. No writing, marking or notations of any nature whatsoever shall be made in or upon any copy of either the Official Standard of the Work or the Vocabulary, and it shall be the duty of any Grand Lodge Officer, District Deputy Grand Master, District Deputy Grand Lecturer, or any Certified Lecturer, at any time, to call for any copy of either, and examine the same to determine whether this Rule has been violated; and if it has been violated, he shall immediately take up such copy marked in violation hereof, and forward the same at once to the Grand Secretary, and report his action to the Grand Master without delay. [See also Regulation No. 30-07(4)].

Rule 7. In case of loss or destruction of either the Official Standard of the Work or the Vocabulary, the Grand Secretary shall be notified immediately, giving a full report of the circumstances surrounding the said loss or destruction.

Rule 8. Neither the Official Standard of the Work nor the Vocabulary shall be used in any lodge while conferring the degrees, nor at any time in coaching or instructing candidates.

Rule 9. Neither the Official Standard of the Work nor the Vocabulary shall be issued to one entitled to the use of the same under these Rules, unless applied for in writing on the proper form, except as provided in Rule 5.

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CORRECTED COPY OF ADDRESS BY GRAND ORATOR IN 1963

HON. SAM J. ERVIN, JR.

The following address was delivered by Hon. Sam J. Ervin, Jr., Grand Orator, at the 1963 Annual Communication and printed in the 1963 Proceedings, but due to the fact that the same was changed somewhat in transcription, it is again printed herewith in corrected form:

AFFIRMATIONS OF FREEMASONRY CONCERNING GOD, MAN, AND IMMORTALITY

Most Worshipful Grand Master, Visiting Brethren, and Freemasons All:

I will discuss for a few moments what the Symbolic Degrees of Freemasonry affirm concerning God, man, and immortality. While so doing, I will direct your thoughts to the language of poets, who have consciously or unconsciously enshrined the affirmations of Freemasonry in respect to these subjects in words of unforgettable beauty.

1. THE AFFIRMATION OF FREEMASONRY CONCERNING GOD

Freemasonry bases its affirmation concerning God upon its observations of the universe and man, and the revelations of the Holy Writings upon its Altars.

Freemasonry looks at the universe and beholds with wonder the life-giving sun, which rises in the east at morn, travels across the sky by day, and sets in the west at eventide; the galaxies of stars, which twinkle in the infinite heavens; the clouds, which bring the soil-refreshing rain; the majestic mountains with hills at their knees; the rivers, which water pleasant valleys and fertile plains and run endlessly to the sea; the tall trees, which lift leafy arms heavenward to pray; the arbutus and dogwood, which brighten springtime, and the marigolds and roses, which ornament summer; the glory of the leaves and ripened crops of autumn; the crystal snowflakes, which descend so gently in winter; and the other beautiful things past numbering, which adorn the earth.

Freemasonry notes with awe the order and regularity of the processes of life and nature as the tide ebbs and flows, as the harvest succeeds the seedtime, and as the heavenly bodies move in their orbits without mishap in conformity with natural laws. Freemasonry observes with reverence that despite the feet of clay on which he makes his earthly rounds, man is endowed with the capacity to obey conscience, exercise reason, study holy writings, and aspire to righteous conduct in obedience to spiritual laws.

On the basis of these things, Freemasonry affirms with complete conviction that the universe and man are not the haphazard products of blind atoms wandering aimlessly about in chaos, but, on the contrary, are the creations of God, the Architect and Master-builder of the Universe, conforming to designs first traced upon the divine trestle board.

Freemasonry requires every man, whether prince or peasant, who seeks admittance to its lodges to confess his faith in God.

Further than this, the Symbolic Degrees do not go. While theocratic in faith and philosophy, they do not attempt to limit any Freemason's conception of the Divine. They leave to each the freedom to fashion his own creed and his own theology. As a consequence, men of all religions kneel in brotherly love at the altars of Symbolic Lodges.

The attitude of Freemasonry toward God is set out in the matchless verses of William Herbert Carruth entitled "Each in his own Tongue."

"A fire-mist and a planet—
A crystal and a cell,
A jelly-fish and a saurian,
And caves where the cave-men dwell;
Then a sense of law and beauty
And a face turned from the clod,—
Some call it Evolution,
And others call it God.

"A haze on the far horizon,
The infinite, tender sky,
The ripe, rich tint of the cornfields,
And the wild geese sailing high;
And all over upland and lowland
The charm of the golden-rod,—
Some of us call it Autumn,
And others call it God.

"Like tides on a crescent sea-beach,
When the moon is new and thin,
Into our hearts high yearnings
Come welling and surging in;
Come from the mystic ocean
Whose rim no foot has trod,—
Some of us call it Longing,
And others call it God.

"A picket frozen on duty,
A mother starved for her brood,
Socrates drinking the hemlock,
And Jesus on the rood;
And millions who, humble and nameless,
The straight, hard pathway plod,
Some call it Consecration,
And others call it God."

2. The Affirmation of Freemasonry Concerning Man

Freemasonry affirms that God made man in his own image; that the chief duty of man is to build a life rich in character and service; and that the mission of Freemasonry is to aid man in that undertaking.

If we are to understand this affirmation of Freemasonry concerning man, we must understand Freemasonry.

Freemasonry is founded on faith in God, but it is not a religion and does not seek to supplant or control religious institutions. Freemasonry is concerned with the problems of man and society, but it

is not a political party and does not participate in political movements or succumb to the present-day delusion that man and society can be easily and quickly remade by the passing of laws. Freemasonry is dedicated to the freedom of the mind and spirit of man, but it does not advocate armed revolt against governmental and ecclesiastical tyranny.

Freemasonry is ancient, patient, and wise. It knows that neither man nor society can be made or remade in a day. It knows that the worth of man is to be determined solely by the goodness of his character, and that the betterment of society is dependent entirely upon the ministrations of good men. As a consequence, Freemasonry accepts as its task the making of good Freemasons, knowing, as it does, that good Freemasons are good men who acquit themselves well in all relationships and responsibilities.

To this end, Freemasonry admits to its lodges men of faith from all walks of life, seats them around its altars, and teaches them by allegory, precept, and symbol the love which makes them brothers and the truth which makes them free.

The character of the good Freemason is pictured with fidelity by Will Allen Dromgoole in the poem entitled "The Bridge Builder."

"An old man, going a lone highway,
Came at the evening, cold and gray,
To a chasm, vast and deep and wide,
Through which was flowing a sullen tide.

The old man crossed in the twilight dim;
The sullen stream had no fears for him;
But he turned when safe on the other side
And built a bridge to span the tide.

"'Old man,' said a fellow pilgrim near,
'You are wasting strength with building here;
Your journey will end with the ending day;
You never again must pass this way;
You have crossed the chasm, deep and wide—
Why build you the bridge at the eventide?'

"The builder lifted his old gray head:
'Good friend, in the path I have come,' he said,
'There followeth after me today
A youth whose feet must pass this way,
This chasm that has been naught to me
To that fair-haired youth may a pitfall be.
He, too, must cross in the twilight dim;
Good friend, I am building the bridge for him.'"

3. THE AFFIRMATION OF FREEMASONRY CONCERNING IMMORTALITY

Let us consider what Freemasonry has to say concerning personal immortality.

The desire for personal immortality is virtually universal. This desire is not to be attributed simply to the egotism of men, or their fear of the unknown beyond the grave, or their repugnance to the thought of their nothingness after death.

The pessimistic philosopher Schopenhauer was sadly in error in his caustic comment that "to desire immortality is to desire the eternal perpetuation of a great mistake." The longing for immortality is prompted by most meritorious motives.

Life on earth at best is all too short and unfinished. Man entertains high hopes for an abundant life with his loved ones, and undertakes worthwhile things for them and his generation. His high hopes vanish as he is robbed of those he loves by death, and his hands drop the working tools of life while his undertakings are incomplete.

As a consequence of these things, our hearts cry out that there must be some place after life's fitful fever is over where tears never flow and rainbows never fade, where high hopes are realized and worthy tasks are accomplished, and where those we "have loved long since and lost awhile" stay with us forever.

Revealed religion and an irrepressible intuition of the human heart unite to declare that there is such a place—"an house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens." And Freemasonry affirms by the enactment of a poignant drama and the deposit of the sprig of acacia in the Freemason's grave that the God who made man in his own image will not permit him to perish in the dust.

We should accept this affirmation "in sure and certain hope of the Resurrection to eternal life." After all, there is nothing more miraculous or mysterious in immortality than there is in our life on earth or the existence of the universe.

We shall not know while we abide here what the "house not made with hands eternal in the heavens" is like, or what our way of life will be after we pass its threshold. We hope, however, that these things are portrayed with some prophetic foresight by the eloquent words of the great Master Mason, Rudyard Kipling, in his poem "L'Envoi."

"When Earth's last picture is painted, and the tubes are all twisted and dried,
When the oldest colors have faded, and the youngest critic has died,
We shall rest, and faith, we shall need it—lie down for an aeon or two,
Till the Master of All Good Workmen shall put us to work anew.

"And those that were good shall be happy: they shall sit in a golden chair;
They shall splash at a ten-league canvas with brushes of comets' hair;
They shall find real saints to draw from—Magdalene, Peter, and Paul;
They shall work for an age at a sitting, and never be tired at all!

"And only the Master shall praise us, and only the Master shall blame;
And no one shall work for money, and no one shall work for fame;
But each for the joy of working, and each, in his separate star,
Shall draw the Thing as he sees It for the God of Things as They Are!"

Reviews

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CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEE ON
FRATERNAL CORRESPONDENCE

FOREWORD

We submit our third report as Foreign Correspondent and Grand Reviewer of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina.

We want to thank Grand Master Burrier for giving us the opportunity of serving our Grand Lodge and also to spend many hours of pleasant and profitable reading of the Proceedings of the several Grand Lodges whose Proceedings came to our desk.

With so many different circumstances and conditions in the Masonic world today, you cannot find a uniform statement of gains and losses in membership, in the varying degrees of ability and devotion in the leadership, of the various causes underlying those differences, and of the efforts in different Jurisdictions to meet the challenges of today.

One of the outstanding statements in a majority of Jurisdictions is in the "net loss" column; next to this is usually poor attendance, followed by loss of interest, not attracting the younger men, apathy, indifference, poor leadership, depending on the local conditions.

In regard to net losses, it has become, with few exceptions, a geographical question. The South, Southeast, and Southwest with some in the extreme West are almost always in the "net gain" column, while some of the larger Jurisdictions in the North and Midwest are usually in the net loss column. Of course there are several exceptions.

There are different ideas springing up in various Jurisdictions relative to the introduction of innovations as a means of correcting some of the problems of today. We will mention a few. One of these could be called "short cuts" in the process of advancing. One Grand Master recommends that in the case of a sojourner in the military or naval service or one employed in defense work, the petition be received without regard to the period of residence, depending on correspondence to be the means of investigating, and to make it easier, after a man was initiated the same Grand Master recommended shortening the time between degrees. We wonder how he would reconcile such ideas with some European Jurisdictions of one year between degrees.

Another Grand Master recommended "that a candidate for initiation must be a free born white man of the age of *18 years* or more and of good report." (This one was reported unfavorable by the Jurisprudence Committee.)

Several Grand Jurisdictions have introduced and are considering various changes in the requirements relative to physical qualifications. There are many things that can be said both for and against changes in requirements relating to the "Doctrine of the Perfect Youth."

The subject of dispensations and decisions is one of the subjects this Reviewer has always looked upon with a certain degree of considering them "trivial." Of course the question of decisions is usually a matter for the Grand Master of that certain Jurisdiction to use his best judgment as it applies to the rules and regulations of his Jurisdiction. But when we discuss dispensations, we sometimes think that they are doing by dispensation that which cannot be done by Law. If it is necessary every year for a Grand Master to issue a dispensation for performing some duty "out of time," why not change the law?

From several Jurisdictions comes the question, what is wrong with Masonry? What can be done to improve the condition? The answer is this: *There is nothing wrong with Masonry.*

"But Freemasonry is a perpetuating way of life. It is concerned with man as an individual; and harmony and universality can function only through the efforts of the individuals involved. This individual integrity for universal good is the philosophy upon which Masonry was founded. The ideals of Masonry are perfect. The challenge is for us to live up to those ideals. What an enormous responsibility this is for those of us who profess to be Masons. And it is a responsibility which each one of us must accept personally. It is not something that we can pass on to others to assume. Passivity is our greatest source of weakness. We have become so accustomed to having others represent us, act for us, legislate us, that we have almost lost our sense of responsibility. We have allowed a social philosophy to creep into our lives without a strong challenge, and now it is slowly sapping our strength and sewing seeds of weeds which may crowd out our Masonic principle of individual responsibility and worth.

"Our nation was formed by Masons who realized the significance of a philosophy of individualism. Their writings and utterances continually stressed the importance of the individual, and they endeavored to place safeguards so that individual freedom will forever be practiced. As a result of their foresight in meeting their problems in America, individual freedom was held to be man's right. Through this philosophy of individual responsibility our brethren conceived freedom to be a way of life under which man could plan long-range social, moral, spiritual and economic goals. Through these goals man was freed to seek further intuitive and intellectual light.

"Our Masonic ancestors realized that the search for truth depends upon an educated citizenry. How well they planned! No Nation in the world extends so far the opportunities provided for its people to become educated. Our educational institutions have given us the means to search out truths never before available to man. Although our citizenry recognizes the value of education, we as Masons are especially cognizant of its importance.

"A perusal of the pages of the annual report of almost any Grand Jurisdiction, if read with understanding and without undue pessimism, will leave one with a feeling that the tide is turning, ever so slowly, back towards Freemasonry. Where is there another institution, even those Divinely Inspired, that has been able to meet successfully in the evening, night after night, month after month, in winter and summer, in the face of so much competition from outside interests? Where else can men find fraternal fellowship free from the usual restraints of the commercial and political world? The tide of diminishing increases has been stemmed and net gains are on the rolls in some sections. With the stress of modern times, men are seeking for the quiet peacefulness of their Lodges once again, and those who do not attend Lodge often are manifesting their interest and love for the Fraternity in various and numerous ways. This is the true test of our Order. As long as good men are proud to bear the name of FREEMASON we have little to fear. Yes, the tide is turning our way!"

Again, we want to thank Grand Master Burrier for the opportunity to read these Reviews.

We have reviewed separately about 25 Grand Jurisdictions which follow this Foreword.

Fraternally submitted,
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ALABAMA

143rd Annual Communication, Montgomery, Ala., Nov. 19-20, 1963. M.'.W.'.Penson Rabon Graham, Grand Master. Membership July 14, 1963 (75,227). Net Loss 761. No. Lodges, 434.

The Annual Grand Lodge Banquet was held on Monday evening, Nov. 18, 1963. The speaker of the evening was the Honorable George C. Wallace, Governor of Alabama, who is a Mason. The Proceedings refer to his address as an inspiring oration which was received with resounding applause.

Another paragraph in this description of the Annual Banquet reads: "An overflow crowd of delegates, visitors, representatives of other Masonic Bodies; including Grand and Past Grand Officers of both the Order of the Eastern Star and Royal Order of Amaranth; and distinguished guests enjoyed the delicious dinner.

There were present 15 Past Grand Masters. After they were presented and officially received together with a large number of distinguished guests from this and other Grand Jurisdictions, the Grand Master presented his annual address giving an account of his activities during his Masonic year.

While a large percentage of Grand Jurisdictions and Past Grand Officers do not agree with the customs and references to those organizations which make membership in Masonry as pre-requisites, as appendant organizations, we want to congratulate him on a year of intense devotion, to the task before him and his determination to do a good year's work. We were interested in his dispensations to confer degrees on maimed candidates. Several Grand Jurisdictions are now considering a slightly different interpretation of the "Doctrine of the Perfect Youth." The various objectives which caused the issuance of a large number of dispensations are subject to wondering where the end would be if continued.

We observe with interest his presentation of fifty and seventy year Gold Awards. We also congratulate him on his handling of "Impeachment Proceedings."

The report of the Committee on Foreign Correspondence is very full, discussing individually a large number of Foreign Grand Jurisdictions.

The address of the Grand Orator is a very timely discussion of different facets of Masonry. Space forbids quoting only a few paragraphs. We quote:

"Brethren, Alabama has had a big man for her Most Worshipful Grand Master this year; his wife and doctor think that he is down to a mere 230 pounds; but, you and I know that he is 260 pounds of smiles, 260 pounds of good humor, 260 pounds of big heartedness, 260 pounds of brotherhood, 260 pounds of devotion and dedication, and a

full load of Masonry all wrapped up in one package—he could not have done the job that he has done for Blue Lodge Masonry in Alabama this year without the help of his very fine wife; if you agree with me, please join me in a standing ovation for Grand Master and Mrs. Penson Graham.

"I cannot make a major speech which climaxes this tenure of office without extending my appreciation to one of Alabama's finest Masons and citizens, a neighbor and friend of mine for twenty years—who even though unknown and unrequested by me, must have made a most convincing and undeserved recommendation of me to you—Brother Fred Vaughn. To you too, Fred, I shall always be especially grateful.

"No organization could run without a good secretary—and even though I've seen many better looking ones, I've never seen a better one than is Gordon Evatt; he is the most knowledgeable, patient, understanding and able secretary that I know. Please join me in a special hand as a token of our appreciation to Gordon and Mrs. Evatt.

"As your Grand Orator during the past year, it has been my privilege to re-learn some of the eternal lessons of Masonry, to visit the lodges of some of our most illustrious forefathers, shake hands with and break bread with brethren in many corners of this great State, to share some of the most exalted joys and to feel some of the deepest sorrow, to look into the eyes of the newly made Masons full of faith, hope and love, to award fifty year pins to and fellowship with some of the men whose great character, unimpeachable integrity and capacity for love and understanding has enriched the lives of countless other Masons and indeed all of their fellow men.

"Today, for a few minutes, I'd like to share with you some of the observations that I have made; and, if permissible, some of the most rewarding experiences that I have had and some of the principles that we as Masons can be proud to promote.

Willingness To Help Others

"It has been said that we should beware of the man whose virtue lies in the fear of God and not in the love of man. My brethren, Masonry is not a religion, but it accords the highest honor to the devotion of Deity.

"A Mason invites the Lord to visit his Lodge each time he visits it himself—Indeed he accords the central place of honor to the Great Light.

"Finally, let me say that the greatest self-assurance can come from your contact with Masonry, as the acacia is a symbol of immortality—and the lambskin symbolizes purity—every man under the sound of my voice and every brother has the opportunity to be the conduit through which may course noble impulses that change the hearts of men—he could be the eyes of the blind—the strength for the weak—a shield for the defenseless—he can stand erect by bending above a fallen brother—he can never let it be said that he is the one who broke the chain, remember!"

"There is a destiny that makes us brothers—
None goes his way alone;
All that we send into the lives of others—
Comes back into our own."

COLORADO

102nd Annual Communication, Denver, Colo., Jan. 22, 23, 1963. M.'. W.'.Ellis Latimer, Grand Master. Number of Lodges 168; Research Lodge 1; Memorial Lodges 2; Membership Jan. 22, 1963, 47,286; Net Loss 46.

Eight special Communications were held during the year. Jan. 2, 1961 to constitute a Lodge, Feb. 10 to constitute a Memorial Lodge, June 16, Pilgrimage to a Lodge, July 14, Laying a cornerstone, July 21, Laying a cornerstone, Oct. 13, Laying a cornerstone, Oct. 25, dedication of a Masonic Hall; Dec. 8, Laying a cornerstone.

At the request of the M.'.W.'.Grand Master, a Lodge of Master Masons was opened by Mount Lamborn Lodge No. 102 for the purpose of receiving the Grand Master and other officers of the Grand Lodge. After the presentation of the flag, all the Past Grand Masters were received, as well as the reception of the other Grand Bodies of Colorado. The visitors were recognized and received, followed by the introduction of District Lecturers. Twenty seven Grand Representatives were present.

The proposed amendments to the Book of Constitutions, due notice of which having been sent to all Masonic Lodges in Colorado, were submitted by the Grand Secretary, Bundy, and were ordered referred to the Jurisprudence Committee.

The address of the Grand Master referred to his visits to constituent Lodges, to organizations outside his Grand Jurisdiction; visits to Bodies not recognized as Masonic; visits to other Masonic Bodies in Colorado recognized by the Grand Lodge, visit to the Rocky Mountain Masonic Conference, and other visits connected with the duties of his office. A large number of By-Laws of Subordinate Lodges were approved. These were mostly for the purpose of raising dues. Several Masonic trials were sent to the Referee and were approved by the Grand Master.

He spoke in a very commendable manner in regard to the Masonic Service Association.

He was called upon to make several decisions, most of which would be in keeping with general Masonic Law. However, some of them would not be consistent with the Code in our Jurisdictions.

We quote his closing paragraphs:

"At a time, a person is incapable of expressing adequately appreciation felt. That is the way I now feel toward my Masonic Brothers and the Masonic Fraternity for bestowing upon me the highest honor that this Grand Lodge can give to one of its own. All that I will say is Thank You from the bottom of my heart for the greatest experience that any Mason can have.

"It is my earnest desire that the following Grand Masters will have an enjoyable year as I have had. Knowing these Brothers and their very splendid capabilities, I would say that this Grand Lodge has nothing to worry about when it comes to leadership throughout the coming years. To these Brothers in the Grand Lodge line, thank you for your co-operation, advice and encouragement. To all the Brothers of this Grand Lodge, may God bless you and our wonderful Fraternity."

The report of the Grand Lecturer and the Custodians of the work was very fine and represented a lot of hard work.

The Oration, delivered by Brother John F. Dole, Grand Orator, was very entertaining and instructive. We wish all Masons could read this Oration. We quote the following:

"In our work we repeatedly pray to God and refer to the Holy Bible. In so doing we are constantly aware that Masonry is more than a collection of wise sayings, historical allegories, and moral instructions. In spite of all this, we face today the penetrating question, "Is the presence of the eternal God real to you and a vital part of your life?"

"Today we face a great dividing line running throughout the world between those who believe that there is an eternal reality beyond man and human history and those who do not so believe. This is a basic fact of our time.

"This reality of the eternal God comes to our lives in many different ways. To some this comes most forcibly through the awesome power and beauty of nature. This is expressed in the words of the Psalmist: The heavens declare the glory of God and the firmament sheweth His handiwork." The writer of a familiar hymn expressed it this way:

Before the hills in order stood, or earth received her frame

From everlasting thou art God, to endless years the same."

"To others this reality of the eternal God comes by special revelation through inspired or divine agents of God, to the Jew through Moses and the prophets, to the Christian through Jesus, to others Jesus, to others through Mohammed or Buddha.

"To others this reality comes through the process of working in great projects for the glory of God and the betterment of mankind. In recent weeks I have read a book entitled Notre Dame of Paris by Alan Temko. This is the story of the erection of the great cathedrals of the middle ages and of the master builders who worked on them. It presents many interesting facts relating to these medieval Masons.

"May it be our purpose, as Masons of this day, working not in stone but in human values and relationships, to unite persons of all areas of life in our communities in the common endeavor of erecting those living monuments which redound to the glory of God and the betterment of mankind."

They have a very full and instructive report on Masonic Education, also on public schools week.

They have a very full report of the Committee on Grand Lodge-Employment Retirement. The report of the Committee on Fraternal Relations, Brother C. Wheeler Barnes, chairman, discusses the Cuban situation in practically the same language that most of the Jurisdictions have used. He recommends that no action by Colorado be taken at this time. He recommends recognition of the Grand Lodge of India. In regard to Parana, Brazil, the committee recommends this matter be deferred until next Annual Communication. Grand Lodge of Mexico, Occidental Mexicana, recommends a continuation for further consideration. Also the Grand Lodge of South Africa, a continuation of the investigation until next annual communication.

All of these recommendations were adopted. No Reviews were submitted.

CONNECTICUT

175th Annual Communication, Hartford, Conn., April 3, 1963. M.'. W.'.Ernest R. Dayton, Grand Master. Number of Lodges 12-31-62, 134; Membership 12-31-62, Exempt 1807, Taxable 45,434, Total 47,241. Net Loss in Net Membership 362; Net Loss taxable membership 372; Candidates Rejected 67.

Four Special Communications were held:

(1) Stratford, Conn. June 9, 1962. Constituting Daytime Lodge U.D. as Daytime Lodge No. 144.

(2) Winstead Conn. Sept. 15, 1962. Dedicating Masonic Temple of St. Andrews Lodge No. 64.

(3) Madison, Conn. Sept 22, 1962. Dedicating Masonic Temple of Madison Lodge No. 87.

(4) Thompson, Conn. Nov. 24, 1962. Dedicating Masonic Temple of Corner Stone Lodge 122.

At 10 o'clock Wednesday April 3, 1963, the R.'.W.'.Deputy Grand Master Brother Frank H. Linsley congregated the brethren in the Capitol ballroom of the Statler Hilton Hotel, Hartford, Conn. The brethren were called up while the Grand Officers entered in regular procession to the music of the Grand Organist. The Grand Master ordered his officers to assume their stations and places, whereupon he seated the Grand Lodge.

After the ceremony of purging the Grand Lodge the Grand Master ordered the roll of Lodges called. When a constitutional number had responded, the roll call was terminated and a quorum was declared present.

The Grand Master then opened the 175th Annual Communication of Connecticut in ample form.

The visitors were then received by the Grand Master and accorded honors appropriate to their several official positions. Included in this were Bro. John D. Cunningham, Masonic Service Association of the U.S.; Brother Campbell, Executive officer for Connecticut of the International Supreme Council, Order of DeMolay; Knight Companion Wyman, Sovereign St. Andrews Conclave Knights of the Red Cross of Constantine; Brothers Irvin E. Partridge 33° Illustrious Deputy for Connecticut; and Fred W. Hummel 33° Active for Connecticut; R.E. Geo. H. Carter, Grand Commander, Knights Templar of Connecticut; Companion Pierson E. Dolbeare, Most Illustrious Grand Master, Gr. Council; M.E. Laurence G. Farwell, Grand High Priest; Companion Bliss W. Clerk, P.G.H.P. and Grand Secretary, Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Connecticut. Also introduced were representatives from the Grand Lodge of Belgium, Canada, Maine, District of Columbia, Delaware, Vermont, Rhode Island, Maryland, New Jersey, and Mass.

The Grand Master then delivered his address and gave an account of his activities for the year just closing. This was a very comprehensive address and gives evidence of a year's work well done.

They observed a Grand Master's Day which was rather unusual.

In discussing the degree of Past Master, either actual or virtual he made some recommendations. Their Grand Lodge rules and regulations provide in section 509, "A Master-Elect must receive the Past Master's degree in a Lodge of actual Past Masters as a necessary part

of installation, provided he is not already an actual Past Master." Also Section 1204 "A Virtual Past Master becomes an actual Past Master by being installed Master of a Blue Lodge." Due to certain inconsistences he recommends that Grand Lodge strike out section 1204 and that an authorized Ritual be adopted for the conferring of the actual Past Masters Degree, and that the Grand Lodge Rules and Regulations be amended to provide for the establishment of actual Past Masters Lodges.

The report of the custodians of the work "B" stated that the Ritual had been prepared and that his report was accepted and the recommendations adopted.

All dispensations were approved by the Jurisprudence Committee.

He recommended and it has approved "withdrawal of recognition of the United Grand Lodges of Germany, if Committee finds current reports to be true." The following recommendation relating to Cuba was adopted.

"That the Grand Lodge of Connecticut suspended its recognition of and its pro forma ties with the Grand Lodge of Cuba until such time as the Grand Lodge enjoys full liberty of action, and heals the scism in its ranks."

Respectfully submitted,
The Committee

Reports accepted and recommendations adopted.

The reviews were prepared by Past Grand Master Earle K. Haling Committee on Correspondence.

This is a very fine comprehensive discussion of the activities of several of the Grand Jurisdictions.

North Carolina was not reviewed.

IDAHO

97th Annual Communication, Lewiston, Idaho, Sept. 17, 18, 19, 1963. M.'.W.'.Charles F. Gill, Grand Master, Membership, 14,621; Net Loss, 218; No. Lodges 84. 18 of the 26 living past Grand Masters were present. 50 Grand Representatives were present.

The address of the Grand Master shows that Idaho certainly had competent leadership during the 1962-1963 year. He evidently made a great effort to make as many official visitations as he possibly could. He also made a large number of visitations to other Grand Jurisdictions.

The Grand Master was pleased to present 67 Worshipful Masters of Idaho Lodges. The address of the Grand Orator on the twin subjects "What came we here to do?" and "Whither are we traveling?" is a masterpiece. It would be well for every man who loves the finer things in Masonry to read this. We quote a few paragraphs:

"Common to all discussions, bulletins, and other media, is concern for declining membership, small attendance at lodges, that Lodges are too big, and lack of interest because of the speed and pressures of the present day living. It is heartening that Masonic leadership is concerned and aware that there is confusion in the temple and that the brethren are in need of, and seeking solutions.

"It is easily apparent that these problems are not peculiar to Masonry alone and concern is pressing all leadership—political, economic, moral and spiritual because of the reaction and behavior of people to the tensions and problems of this rapidly changing, scientific age in which we are privileged to live.

"Newspapers, national magazines, and organizations' publications are full of editorials and articles conveying concern about world conditions, new organizations, new philosophies and the impact of scientific developments on the author's well-being, or his field of interest. A few samples are — "Honest Constitutionalism," Government by Mob," "A Changing Culture Challenges Us," Freedom of Economic Growth," and "The Recovery of Individual Responsibility."

"In the field of medicine, a Mayo Clinic doctor addressing a meeting of the American Medical Association said in part—"More than 50 per cent of the patients in any waiting room are there because of the vicissitudes of life. Such people may have no organic disease yet they are experiencing real symptoms, including pain, as the result of the pounding linflicted by life."

"The fact that concern is general, reflecting that the world situation is influencing human behavior and thinking in all fields of endeavor, resulting in adjustments of personal and organizational philosophy, adds greatly to the concern and obligation of Masonry. For Masonry must not only maintain the moral and spiritual stability of the Craft, but must by its leadership inspire Masons to continue as they have through the years to contribute to the moral and spiritual standards of our nation.

Our technological development has progressed at a rapid pace far outstripping our moral and spiritual development putting our world not only out of balance, but poorly equipped to cope with the problems confronting it. Racial strife, Communistic infiltration, atomic weapons, population explosion, unemployment resulting from automation and tribal groups seeking freedom, and, although poorly prepared, attempting to imitate our democracy are some of the problems that must be faced.

"What has brought all of this about? This nation conceived in liberty and dedicated to the proposition that all men are created equal, has under democracy and its free enterprise system, produced the highest standard of living ever known. Under this system, through research and scientific development, we have produced luxury and leisure that have resulted in a tremendous influence on the thinking and habits of people resulting in basic changes in the pattern of living that are not conducive to an interest in moral and spiritual values. Not only are these scientific developments extensive, but they have arrived with great rapidity. Many brothers sitting in this Grand Lodge today have seen in their lifetime, the discovery and development of most of the labor saving and convenience devices that have made this era known as the scientific age. The automobile, telephone, radio, television, aviation, electronic computers, atomic power, and rockets to put men into orbit."

The report of the Grand Historian is one of the most complete we have observed this year. It is a very interesting report of some of the conditions under which Masonry existed in the early days of the development of the Great West.

The report of Committee on Foreign Correspondence is much in keeping with the thinking of North Carolina. The report that "The Cuban situation is as confusing as ever, conflicting reports are received from the Masons in Cuba and the Grand Lodge in Exile in Florida." They do not feel like taking any action against the Grand Lodge of Cuba in Havana, and yet they cannot recognize them. Their reason is that they have no information in regard to 30,000 Masons that were in Cuba and what percentage of them have remained faithful to Masonry or how many have adopted communism.

Their Reviews or Fraternal Relations as they call their report, is very much abbreviated but very interesting and shows that they have carefully familiarized themselves with the proceedings of 53 Grand Jurisdictions.

It has been a pleasure to Review the Proceedings of their 97th Annual Communication and their appraisal of the other Grand Jurisdictions.

IOWA

119th Annual Communication, Cedar Rapids, Iowa Sept. 18, 1963. M.'. W.'.Ralph C. Brown, Grand Master. Membership 12/1/62, 90,794. Net Loss, 924. No. Lodges 541.

Any Reviewer could fill the entire space allotted to me in giving the highlights of the 119th Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Iowa. We have for a number of years been definitely interested in the activities of Masonry in Iowa. In stating the sterling qualifications of their Grand Master Ralph C. Brown, we quote:

"Brother Brown can modestly be called a much-traveled Grand Master. His gracious wife, Sadie, accompanied him wherever she felt she could contribute anything to the activities which were designed to appeal to the ladies. She was a most appealing first lady of Iowa Masonry.

"It has been good for Masonry to have a year under Ralph Brown's guiding hand. His energies have been directed toward a program modest in scope and definitely pointed to techniques of improvement. It can be truthfully said of him that his philosophy was the upgrading of the lodge at the grass-roots level. He continually emphasized that Masonry's justification is in the good it does. Yes, the Grand Master was at his best when he earnestly "poured out his heart" to the thousands who came to meet him and renew acquaintances and to hear him say, "Masonry has nothing to be ashamed of. Wear your Square and Compasses with pride."

In his wonderful address he covers a number of subjects which are much discussed in Masonic Circles in practically all Grand Jurisdictions. He refers with interest to many receptions in, and visitations to other Lodges and other Grand Bodies within the state, as well as visits to other Grand Lodges. He was much impressed with the several conferences in Washington, especially with the George Washington Masonic National Memorial Association.

He attended a large number of Cornerstone Layings and Dedications. We agree with his words of approval of the Grand Reviewer. He refers to the Foreword which is always well prepared and interesting and his Reviews give to the busy reader a condensed report of

Masonic News emanating from the many other Grand Lodges throughout the world. He also speaks with favor about the Committee on Public Relations which is a new Committee. He is of the opinion that this Committee can do much good for Masonry in Iowa, especially in bringing the activities of Masonry to the attention of the profane and their participation in worthwhile community affairs.

The Grand Master takes a positive stand in regard to the Order of DeMolay.

In discussing the condition of the Craft in Iowa he says:

"In compliance with the provisions of the Masonic Code of Iowa, the Grand Master might well present under the caption of this part of his report a summation of events and activities heretofore mentioned, for in them may be found a true picture of the conditions prevailing in Iowa Masonry. During the year I have, on several occasions, done some rather extensive research in preparation for presentation of Fifty-Year Certificates, Lodge Centennial talks, cornerstone layings and dedications of temples. Much of this study has been of the Proceedings of this Grand Lodge of the past 100 years. From the knowledge thus gained and my observation of conditions now existing, I can assure you that Masonry in Iowa is in no sense dying on the vine, but, to the contrary, is in a better state, fundamentally and economically, than that chronicled in the proceedings of bygone years."

"As reported under another heading, 65 brethren were present to witness the conferring of two Third Degrees at Atlantic, recently. Add to this the fact that more than 1,500 Masons registered for our Work Shops this year, and at Des Moines some 1,200 Masons of Central Iowa attended a meeting arranged by the Scottish Rite where a team from Wyoming conferred a Third Degree. Consider, too, that the cornerstones of four new temples were laid by the present Grand Lodge Officers; eight temples, two of them new, have thus far been dedicated, and several other lodges have moved into new quarters.

"Do not these facts disprove any and all assertions that Iowa Masonry is in distress? Let the doubting Thomases deceive you not—we're off and running."

In his discussion of assets he refers with pride to the wonderful Masonic Library at Cedar Rapids, Iowa. We quote:

"The subjects of my comments herein will, I know, be considered fully by commitees whose reports you are to have later, and I doubt not some repetition may result, for which I offer apology in advance.

"Were it not that I have a strong feeling that we are prone to accept our many blessings without due consideration of their importance of value to us and Masonry, I would not encroach further upon your time and patience. I have gained the impression while serving as Grand Master that too few of us realize and appreciate how fortunate we are in possessing our Grand Lodge Library, our Sanitarium at Bettendorf, and the Rowley Home for Aged Masons at Perry, and of them I now wish to incorporate some comment in my report to you.

"At Cedar Rapids the Masons of Iowa have the world's foremost Masonic Library, housed in what is undoubtedly the most beautiful building in the State. While the value of the building may easily

be established, only an estimate can be made of the true value of the contents as many are irreplaceable, some items in the museum and vaults being without known duplication in the world.

"Our library of Proceedings of other Grand Lodges is complete and it is not unusual for us to supply those Grand Lodges with copies of their Annual Proceedings from our surplus. Many Masonic scholars and writers use our library extensively in their work for reference and background material, and Cedar Rapids is often visited by Masons for one purpose only, that of seeing for themselves the library of which they have heard so much.

"Our offices are located in the library building, and furnished so completely and beautifully that the casual visitor is awed by the elegance of his surroundings. This library is yours, a part of the heritage of your children, debt free, and entirely lovely."

The Fraternal Review prepared by Past Grand Master Ray R. Douglass, is one of the most complete of any Jurisdictions we have covered. After discussing the various subjects of decline in membership, lack of attendance at Lodge meetings, lack of leadership and other subjects usually found in a majority of the Proceedings, he says:

"Perhaps the wisest suggestion on how to cure the ills comes from one qualified by experience to offer an opinion. He has served his jurisdiction as Grand Master. As Grand Secretary he has been in constant touch with subordinate lodges. As a writer of Fraternal Reviews, he is familiar with world-wide Masonry. Most Worshipful Brother Dwight L. Smith of Indiana suggests that 'the solution to Freemasonry's problems is Freemasonry.' It should be tried."

We appreciate his recognition of this writer in his first attempt in reviewing Grand Lodge Proccedings.

MINNESOTA

110th Annual Communication, St. Paul, Minn., Mar. 20, 21, 1963. M.'. W.'.Harvard B. Olson, Grand Master. Number of Lodges 290; Membership 12-31-62, 69,543; Net Loss, 423; Number of Grand Masters living, 16.

Occasional Communications:

May 19, 1962 Constituted Forest Lake Lodge No. 344.

July 21, 1962 Dedicated Cataract Lodge, No. 2.

Sept. 6, 1962 Lay cornerstone of New Auditorium, Minneapolis.

Oct. 27, 1962 Lay cornerstone of New Elementary School, Spring Valley.

Feb. 16, 1963 Lay cornerstone of New Temple University Lodge 316, Minneapolis, Minn.

The address of the Grand Master represented a year of intense effort to further the interest of Masonry in Minnesota. He lists the number and places of visitations at the close of his address.

The address of the Grand Orator is a masterpiece. His subject is "The Dynamics of Masonry". Past Grand Master Clyde E. Hegman delivered the Oration. We quote two paragraphs from this wonderful address:

"First is the power of faith. Every man in this auditorium, every one of almost five million Master Masons in the United States and

the Provinces of Canada, and untold numbers of craftsmen across the face of the globe, has professed the power of faith. My brother, in whom do you put your trust?

"It was the writer of the letter to the Hebrews who said "Faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen." A man's Faith is not what he holds; it is what holds him.

"Faith is always a certain strength and a vital force. Faith of each individual man and woman is that which makes the faith of a nation. More than any other man a Master Mason must have a living faith, a faith that overshadows the simple worldly knowledge; his faith is born in that vital experience that when the strength and wisdom of man fails there is an inexhaustible supply above yielded to us through the power of prayer. The life of every man is incomplete until he comes to the recognition and acceptance of his own inadequacies and limitations. In genuine humility man may discover the truth of the paradox, to save one's life he must first lose it; lose it in something bigger than himself."

We are building every day,
in a good or evil way,
And the structure as it grows
Will our inmost self disclose
Until in every arch and line
All our faults and failings shine.
It may be a castle grand,
Or a wreck upon the sand.
You may ask, "What building this,
That can be both pain and bliss,
That can be both dark and fair?"
Behold—its name is "Character."
Build it well what ere we do
Build it strong and staight and true
Build it sound, and clean, and broad
Build it for the eye of God.

My Brother, every man can reach as high as his ideals. How high is your grasp?

The Committee on Foreign Correspondence recommends the Recognition of the Grand Lodge of India. They do not make a recommendation at this time regarding recognition of the Grand Lodge of Turkey, because they had not received a formal request for recognition.

In regard to Cuba, they withheld any mention last year. This year they have a seven page discussion including an edict by the Grand Master of Florida, William S. Christian. They are apparently undecided what course to pursue and await further information. They appropriated $200.00 for assistance from the Commission on Information for Recognition, if and when requested, and the amount of $25.00 for postage, etc., if necessary for the use of the Committee.

They furnish the "Minnesota Mason" free to all members in Minnesota. Their report shows that each issue costs 3.2 cents when it arrives in their mail box. They publish 7 issues per year at a cost of 22.4 cents per member, all paid by the Grand Lodge. Their total cost last year was $14,282.87. Minnesota does not publish any Reviews. The space is used for various and sundry listings of Lodges, Districts and names of certain officers.

MISSISSIPPI

145th Annual Communication, Jackson, Miss., Feb. 12, 13, 1964 M.'. W.'.Allen Cabaniss, Grand Master. Membership (Aug. 31, 1962), 50,872. Net Gain, 93. No. Lodges, 311. Past Grand Masters present, 20.

A large number of distinguished visitors were present. Also, members of their own Grand Lodge who are holding distinguished Masonic offices were introduced: Luther A. Smith, P.G.M., Sovereign Grand Commander Southern Jursdiction, The Supreme Council, 33° A. and A.S.R.; John T. Wilbanks, P.G.M., Grand Commander, Grand Commandery of Mississippi, Knights Templar; D.D. Williams, Grand High Priest, Grand Chapter Mississippi, R.A.M.; Mays D. Welchel, Most Illustrious Grand Master, Grand Council of Mississippi, Royal and Select Masters; Tom Q. Ellis, P.G.M., P.G.G.H.P., General Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons—an imposing array of native sons.

The Grand Master had an unusual year for a Grand Master. In addition to the exacting duties of Grand Master, he was Grand Prelate of Grand Commandery and delivered the Annual Sermon. He delivered the principal address at the annual Banquet of the Grand Chapter and Grand Council. He was elected Grand Principal Conductor of the Work of the Grand Council. He also participated in the reunion of the Scottish Rite. He delivered the address at the Banquet celebrating the Maundy Thursday Service and the principal address at the Annual meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star of Mississippi. Has any Grand Master ever participated so extensively in all the facets of Masonry, both regular and attached.

The Grand Lecturer's report closes with this paragraph:

"My observation is that knowledge of and devotion to are immanently related. Masonry offers a wide scope for study and any realm that one chooses to pursue will add to his pleasure and Masonic knowledge; but the learning that tends to stimulate a lodge most is the ritual. The Lodge that conducts its meetings with dignity and decorum, impressively confers the degrees on candidates, lectures its candidates accurately, performs funeral rites creditably and conforms generally to ancient usages, usually has good attendance."

This is one answer to the much debated question of attendance.

76 Grand Representatives answered present. North Carolina was represented.

The address of the Grand Orator was on the subject of "Politics and Masonry." It is a very fine discussion of this important subject, but is too extensive and covers so many different approaches that we cannot quote any paragraphs that would do justice to the Orator or the subject. We only wish that each member of the Fraternity in North Carolina could have access to it. It is the "Address of the Grand Orator", "Politics and Masonry", by Thomas D. Ott. Proceedings of the Grand Lodge of Mississippi 1963.

The Fraternal Correspondent submitted a very interesting report.

NEBRASKA

106th Annual Communication, Lincoln, June 4, 5, 1963. M.'.W.'.Ernest O. Van Wey, Grand Master. No. Lodges, 273. Membership 12/31/62, 45,653. Net Loss, 210. Raised, 1092. Affiliated, 225. Reinstated

310. Lost by Death, 949. Demitted. 288. Suspended, 615. 22 Past Grand Masters were present.

A large number of Grand Masters or their representatives together with the representatives of other Masonic Bodies were recognized, escorted to the East and accorded Grand Honors.

The annual report of the Grand Master was very interesting and represented to this scribe a year of devotion to duty. He made 51 visits to Lodges for many varied events. He presented one 60-year pin and one 65-year pin. The latter is very unusual. Dedicated three Temples, two Lodges for cornerstone laying other than Masonic Temples, eight visits to Lodges that were host to area meetings on Masonic Education. He also visited the meetings of other Masonic Bodies or affiliated Bodies, also those in which Masonic membershp is prerequisite. together with a large number of visits to other Grand Jurisdictions. He was very much impressed with the Grand Masters Conference in Washington in February.

He issued a large number of dispensations, most of them being of the usual procedure in practically all Jurisdictions.

He refers to the research work of the Grand Historian relative to cornerstone laying from 1869 to 1962. It would have been very interesting to know the number that had been performed in that period of time.

It is interesting to read the Grand Master's decisions. Of course the law of each Grand Jurisdiction is different in several matters. However, his decisions would conform practically to those of a North Carolina Grand Master. They reveal that he has a good knowledge of Law and studied each one carefully.

It is difficult to understand why a Grand Lodge that has had such competent, interested and aggressive leadership, together with an efficient, capable Grand Secretary, combined with a glorious history of competent leadership, would show a net loss. Of course, a large number of Jurisdictions are showing net losses, but all do not have the leadership that Nebraska has been favored with a great part of its history. We certainly predict a greater future.

We note that the Jurisprudence Committee approved the first two sentences of Decision No. 12 (In the case of the blind man); that is, it was left to the discretion of the Master and the Lodge. They recommended that the remainder be stricken out (His opinion, etc.)

The report of the Jurisprudence Committee was approved.

The oration was delivered by Brother Nilo P. Bail, a member of Lodge No. 268, Grand Orator. Although he does not have a title to his address he deals with various approaches to "Facing The Future." He states he has used for his subject a number of times "Education Faces the Future", we quote two paragraphs from this excellent address:

"If we are to continue, and I know we will—because man will always strive for a better day, IF we but prepare the way. But, there are barriers in the way. What are the barriers that prevent us from developing a society, a nation, a state, that will continuously renew itself instead of falling by the wayside as principalities, countries, nations, states, have always done? Civilizations have risen to power, served for a time, grown weak, then withered and died. Some of these

barriers to the renewal of society, in the words of John Gardner are tradition, vested interests, and loss of vitality. Quite obviously, custom, convention, tradition, do stand in our way on many occasions. Creative ideas do not necessarily spring from custom, convention, tradition, or from the way we have always been doing things.

We must remember, for example, that creative ideas of the past twenty-five years have given us new vistas, new scenes, new actions, and we must remember the old adage, "Be not the first by whom the new is tried nor the last to lay the old aside."

It has been a pleasure to review these very interesting, informative and attractive Proceedings.

NEW HAMPSHIRE

174th Annual Communication, Manchester, May 15, 1963. Membership, 17,387. Net Gain, 4| Number of Lodges, 82. M.'.W.'.Raymond C. Duncan, Grand Master.

A large number of distinguished guests from several Grand Jurisdictions and other Masonic Bodies were received and accorded private Grand Honors. Letters and telegrams expressing congratulations and best wishes were received from several other Grand Bodies.

The Jeremy L. Cross medal was presented to M.'.W.'.Brother Augustus C. Ullrich, Past Grand Master of New Jersey.

The address of the Grand Master was a fine presentation of the work he had done. He made special emphasis of the importance of the office of Grand Master; Religious Services; Anniversaries; DeMolay; Conference of Grand Lodge Officers and the presentation of 50 year Veteran's Emblems.

Courtesy work by New Hampshire for other Grand Juridictions, and also courtesy work done for New Hampshire by other Jurisdictions was an important part of his administration. Waiver of Jurisdiction in 22 instances was also approved by his office. Fifteen special dispensations were also issued for various reasons.

The following are parts of the report of the Grand Secretary:

"The Proceedings of the Grand Lodge of New Hampshire for the year 1962 were sent out to all of the Constituent Lodges in our Grand Jurisdiction, also to all the Grand Lodges in the world with whom we are in Fraternal relationship, as has been our usual custom. These were also sent to our complete courtesy list, which includes other Masonic Bodies and several libraries.

"Our membership list continues to remain in a very bad condition. The work in the office of the Grand Secretary depends upon the promptness of the Secretaries of the Lodges to send in immediately all changes in membership. A membership list which is not up to date is of little value.

"On the 7th day of this year I had the pleasure of again attending the annual Smoker of Acacia Fraternity at the University of New Hampshire in Durham. This was the largest gathering which I have seen at one of these meetings, and I have heard many expressions of surprise from those who have never before attended one of these annual smokers. It is an extremely fertile ground for Freemasonry, as these young men who are nearing the age of 21 years can hardly seem able to wait until that age has come, in order that they may ap-

ply for the degrees of Masonry. Our Grand Master gave a very enlightening talk on the subject of Freemasonry, and received hearty applause at its end. In addition to our Grand Master, M.'.W.'. Brother Raymond C. Duncan, there were several other Grand Lodge Officers and members. At roll call it was noted that every Lodge in the First Masonic District was represented by several officers and members. Many other Lodges in the State of New Hampshire were represented, as well as some from Maine, Vermont and Massachussetts. It was reported that our R.'.W.'.Brother Herbert E. Kimball had been initiated into this Fraternity a few days previous to this meeting. Herb did not say whether the Acacia goat had any advantages over the Masonic goat. At the close of the meeting we were entertained by a showing of colored slides and a few selections by the Glee Club, after which refreshments were served. The Acacia Fraternity is something which we should by no means neglect.

"This year in the Lodges of New Hampshire, we show a net gain of four members, which is not much, however it is not a loss such as is experienced in many other Grand Lodges. A list of the gains and losses in the Grand Lodges of Australia, Canada, and the United States will be found at the end of the Reviews of other Grand Lodges."

New Hampshire also has a Semi-annual Communciation. Reported in this copy of the Proceedings, the Communication was held Nov. 20, 1962. There was also a special Communication June 30, 1962.

Past Grand Master Harold O. Cady, who is at present Grand Secretary, is Chairman of the Committee on Foreign Correspondence. In addition to his fine Foreword, he presents a Review of 74 Grand Jurisdictions, one of the most extensive Reviews we have had the honor to review. He gives North Carolina a fine report of our 175th Anniversary meeting. He refers to the vigorous administration of M.'.W.'.Jas. W. Brewer. He also speaks favorably of our Certified Lecture system, and also to the address of the Grand Orator, Sam D. Bundy, P.M. He refers very favorably to our Masonic and Eastern Star Home.

We appreciate the favorable reference to the *"Old North State."*

NEW MEXICO

86th Annual Communication, Albuquerque, March 18, 19, 1963. M.'. W.'.Lamoine Langston, Grand Master. No. Members 12/31/62, 15,-290. Net Gain, 10. No. Lodges, 63.

1. A Special Communication of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of New Mexico, was convened in the Hall of Estancia on the evening of April 18, 1962 for the purpose of installing Worshipful Brother Charles M. Millbourn as Grand Tyler of the Grand Lodge of New Mexico.

2. A Special Communciation was convened in the Hall of Clovis Lodge No. 40 Sunday afternoon May 6, 1962, for the purpose of Laying a Cornerstone of the New High School Building at Texico.

3. A Special Communcation was convened in the Hall of Anthony Lodge No. 48 at Anthony, New Mexico, on Sunday afternoon Nov. 18, 1962, for the purpose of Laying the Cornerstone and Dedicating the New Masonic Temple of Anthony Lodge.

4. A Special Communication was convened at Taos on Saturday afternoon Dec. 8, 1962, for the purpose of Laying the Cornerstone and Dedicating the New Masonic Temple of Bent Lodge No. 42.

5. A Special Communication was convened in Clovis on Sunday afternoon, Feb. 10, 1963, for the purpose of laying the Cornerstone and Dedicating the Lodge Room of the New Masonic Temple of Clovis Lodge No. 40.

It is interesting to observe that Special Communications were called for Laying Cornerstones and dedicating Masonic Temples on Sunday. We do not know how many Jurisdictions permit this, but North Carolina forbids any Official Ceremonies on Sunday, such as Cornerstone Layings or Dedication of Buildings.

A Masonic Funeral may be conducted on Sunday.

The introduction of distinguished visitors is usually one of the first items to be taken up in most all Grand Lodges. Some have a more extensive list than others, but it is an act of Fraternal Relationship that should always be attended with dignity, decorum and sincerity.

New Mexico was no exception. They had a very distinguished group of outstanding Masons including Bro. John D. Cunningham, Executive Secretary of the Masonic Service Association and M.'.W.'. Luther A. Smith, Sovereign Grand Commander of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite, Southern Jurisdiction U.S.A.

Sixteen Past Grand Masters were present, also 47 Grand Representatives. North Carolina was *not* represented.

The Oration was delivered by the Worshipful Brother John D. Cunningham, Executive Secretary of the Masonic Service Association. His subject was "Experiences I have enjoyed in my Masonic Career." I only wish that this address could be published in full in these Reviews but we will quote two or three paragraphs to indicate the line of *thought* that caused so many to stop, listen and think.

"The Fraternal Reviews in the proceedings of many Grand Lodges, continue to show that throughout the ages, Grand Masters, everywhere, have always had to contend with problems of one sort or another. They also suggest that no one individual, no one conference, has a copyright on the solution to these problems which have long perplexed the leaders of Freemasonry, and probably always will. We had just as well face that; we probably always will have probems. The same old problems which confronted our Grand Lodge twenty-five years ago are still with us. But now our Masonic pundits, scholars, orators, educators, call them what you will, tie these problems neatly into a bundle, and label it 'What is Wrong with Freemasonry?'

"What is wrong with Freemasonry? Let us untie the cords of the bundle, unwrap the parcel, and examine just a few of the items covered by this very general heading.

"First, and one of the problems sure to be discussed at every Conference, be it formal conference or one of those you-know-what sessions, is the problem of poor attendance. Now I ask all of you old timers in Freemasonry, is this new to you? Were we not plagued with the problem of poor attendance a generation or two generations ago as we are now? Be honest with yourself. Were'nt we? Didn't we do just as much complaining, and just as little about it a generation or two generations ago as we are doing now? I challenge you, when you

go home, to make a graph of the attendance of your Lodge. Examine that attendance carefully, and study the graph, and you will find to your surprise, that the lines in that graph, over the years has more up and downs than a roller coaster in your local amusement park. The problem of poor attendance, has always been with us, but let me tell you one thing—and this is the reason for the ups and downs on that graph—when you have good leadership, and have good programing, you will have good attendance. Select your Lodge officers for their ability, their interest, their good reputation and their dedication, and you will have a strong, healthy, well-attended lodge. But just to put a brother in the line because he is good fellow, or a friend of mine, or is faithful to the Lodge, is not only detrimental to the lodge, but it nearly always results in embarrassment for that Brother, when the escalator of automatic advancement with which we are cursed, lands him in the East of your Lodge or in the Grand East of your Grand Lodge. If he is a sincere individual, he realizes his inadequacy and he feels badly about it, but the fault is yours, because you started it. You must look far ahead in selecting your leadership, you must realize that sometime that individual will have sole responsibility for the success and reputation of your Lodge. You must realize, that some day, he will be Mr. Mason in your community; your Lodge will be judged by this individual. Some day he may be Mr. Mason in the state, and your Grand Lodge and all Freemasonry in the state will be judged by this man, whom you started years ago. The selection of qualified leaders is imperative if Freemasonry is to march forward."

The Grand Master's report was very interesting and indicates that New Mexico had qualified competent leadership during this administration.

Under decisions, we want to congratulate him on his decisions, especially on No. 1. Lottery is a vexing problem for a large majority of Grand Masters. Of course, some of these would be decided on the laws of a particular Jurisdiction, but his decisions would all be approved by the Grand Lodge of North Carolina. We repeat, we congratulate him upon his handling of No. 1. We need more leaders of the same opinion.

They have no Reviews.

OKLAHOMA

55th Annual Communication, Feb. 12, 13, 14, 1963, Guthrie, Okla. 90th Annual Communication Grand Lodge Indian Territory, 70th Annual Communication Grand Lodge Oklahoma Territory. M.·.W.·. Homer E. Barkley Ponca City, Grand Master, Membership Dec. 31, 1962, 84,596. Net Loss 651. Number of Lodges, 379, Robert W. Osborne, Grand Master-Elect.

The Grand Lodge of Oklahoma convened 19 Special Communications which were called Emergent Special and opening on Entered Apprentice Degree. We could not differentiate between the terms used.

One was for the graveside ceremonies for a Past Grand Master who was 97 years old. He was Grand Master during Territorial days in 1903. He died September 25, 1962. Another was for the burial ceremonies of their Senior Grand Deacon. Fourteen were for laying cornerstones in Masonic Temples, churches, public school buildings, municipal buildings, library and office buildings for North Oklahoma

Junior College, General Hospital, High School Gymnasium and other Masonic Buildings. One Lodge was constituted, and several dedicated.

Apparently the Craft in Oklahoma is highly respected by the general public. This activity and apparent unusual esteem by the public does not usually go with a large loss in membership.

Grand Master Barkley had the support of 20 Past Grand Masters at this Annual Communication. The tribute to the flag by the Grand Flagbearer was quite an innovation but was interesting and appropriate.

Among the distinguished guests listed as receiving Grand Honors was R.'.W.'.W. Edward Burrier, Deputy Grand Master, and at present Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina.

A large class of candidates from over the state was initiated by the Order of DeMolay. This was named the "Grand Master Barkley Class."

In speaking of DeMolay he says, "No Master Mason can do better than to give his unstinted support to this wonderful organization which does so much to reduce the juvenile delinquency which disturbs us these days. A goodly percentage of these boys later become Master Masons, but whether they do so or not, they are given a superb training for future good citizenship. I was very proud to have this fine class bear my name."

In discussing Masonic Education, he states that this Committee has become one of the most important factors in the work of the Grand Lodge, since they are charged with the task of conducting thirteen area institutes during the year.

They have a new committee this year known as the Public Relations Committee. It functioned for the first time in 1962 and did a great deal to present the activities of Masonry to the attention of the general public. He states that the Fraternity has received more favorable publicity in the state newspapers than ever before. "Masonry has in my opinion, too long 'hid its light,' with a consequent lessening of its influence in our communities.

The report of the Committee on Publicity and Public Relations is one of the most progressive, informative and far-reaching reports on this subject that we have been privileged to read. It is good material for any educational program.

Our present Grand Master, M.'.W.'.W. Edward Burrier, is an honorary member of the Grand Lodge of Oklahoma.

It has been a source of pleasure and information to have had the pleasure of reviewing this excellent volume of Proceedings.

PHILIPPINES

46th Annual Communication, Manilla, April 24-26, 1964. M.'.W.'. Brother Juan S. Alano, Grand Master. Membership, 10,573. Net Loss, 254. Chartered Lodges, 120. Past Grand Masters received, 11.

It is evidently their custom to have a guest speaker to deliver an address at the beginning of their proceedings. This year it was the Ambassador of the Philippines, Under Secretary of Foreign Affairs, the Honorable Salvador P. Lopez. It was a wonderful address dealing with Internationalism. We quote two or three paragraphs:

"Going back to my observations abroad and the political scene that is building up in Asia and Africa and elsewhere; whatever destiny may bring to our country and people, the welfare of our free institutions will continue to depend upon mutual respect and mutual consideration with the United States of America.

"By reason of background the Government has a responsibility to be the bearer of the message of internationalism, international cooperation among all peoples of the world and finally in the end to emphasize the sense of propriety, the sense of tradition and the sense of fraternity so to speak, that has been the principal characteristic of our institution."

North Carolina's Representative was present.

The message of the Grand Master repersented an all-out effort to go forward in all lines, although he was not physically able to do his best a large part of the year. He states that during his illness, most of the work of Grand Lodge was performed by the other Grand Lodge Officers.

The Committee on Correspondence reports in practically the same tone as all others. We quote a few:

"As in past years, we have picked out what appeal to us as items of potential interest to local Brethren without burdening the reader with details and familiar routine. It is with regret, however, that space does not permit a review of many splendid messages, orations and speeches by outstanding Masonic leaders in which practically every proceeding abounds. Suffice it to say that we find these annual reports a rich treasury of Masonic thoughts in prose and poetry that both delight and instruct.

"The overall picture of the Masonic World, seen through the 1961 Proceedings of various Grand Lodges, is not very cheerful. Although work is carried out faithfully and with enthusiasm everywhere, it is evident that two common and related maladies afflict many Grand Lodges, namely, poor attendance and loss in memberships.

Utah has a somewhat different approach to its problems of declining membership. The net loss in 1960 was only 4 (it had at the time 6,830 members), but it says:

"Our records show that we must have over 200 petitions each year to offset the depletion of our ranks by deaths, demits and suspensions. We are still losing too many members for non-payment of dues. It is questionable whether the members dropped are in financial difficulties or have lost interest and prefer to be dropped rather than demit . . . When we are losing one member for each five new members, it is high time we give a very critical look at our Masonry . . . Unless we determine where the fault lies, we shall experience continuing losses and poorer attendance."

As if in direct answer to the foregoing we have this well-considered portion of the speech of Arizonia's Grand Orator:

"Certainly, this man who drops out or loses interest has been disappointed along the way. He either was given the wrong impression of Masonry before he became a member or something happened to make him lose interest after he became a member. The services of too many good Masons have been lost because no one took the trouble to be

friendly, to be patient in their explanations of Masonic principles and teachings; and to encourage the new members to actively participate in the activities of the Lodge."

On the other hand, the Grand Orator has himself some questions to ask.

"Are we getting the right kind of members or are we just trying to get members? Are we today letting too many into our ranks whose main reason for joining is to reap the material benefits that they consider belong to a member of the Masonic Fraternity?"

Worshipful Brother Roman F. Lorenzo, Grand Orator, delivered a wonderful address on "Masonry and the Changing Social Perspective in the Philippines." We only wish we could quote the entire address. We quote only one paragraph:

"Today, the Philippines is faced with grave fundamental problems. I made reference to the question of adequately financing the education of our children. Aside from this, we have the problem of juvenile delinquency, the problem of increasing unemployment, the problem of minimizing criminality, the problem of preserving our democratic ideals against the constant and systematic onslaught of the forces of Communism. What should be the attitude of Masonry in the face of these problems which threaten the very foundation of the society of which it is part and parcel? Shall we remain simply an interested but remote onlooker as long as the affairs of our organization are properly looked after? Or should Masonry descend from its high elevation and mingle freely with the populace so that it can hear with its own ears the throbbing pulse of the great mass of people—their problems, their joys and heartaches, their victories and defeats?"

SOUTH CAROLINA

226th Annual Communication, Columbia, April 25, 26, 1963. M.'.W.'.H. Dwight McAlister, Grand Master. Membership 59,191. Net Gain, 561. Number Lodges, 304.

Three special Communications were called during the year. (1) May 7th, 1962, To dedicate a new Masonic Temple at Jackson Lodge No. 53, Lancaster, S. C. (2) To consecrate, dedicate, constitute and install the officers of Dentsville Lodge No. 398 under its Charter at Dentsville, Columbia, S. C. (3) to place the cornerstone and dedicate the new Masonic Temple of Bailey Lodge No. 146 at Greer, S.C.

A custom not usually followed in several Grand Jurisdictions is the performing of official ceremonies. Laying cornerstones is always done when open on the *First Degree.*

The 226th Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient Free Masons of South Carolina was called to order by the Grand Master, M.'.W.'.Brother H. Dwight McAlister, at 10:00 a.m., He then presented the Grand Chaplain, who conducted the Religious Service, which is the usual procedure for this Grand Lodge. His subject was "The Supreme Architect of the Universe."

Eight Past Grand Masters were present. Thirty-nine Grand Representatives were present. Also, a large number of distinguished visitors from Alabama, Canada, Florida, Illinois, Indiana, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Mississippi, North Carolina, Ohio, Saskatch-

ewan, Texas and Virginia. From South Carolina were his Excellency, the Governor of South Carolina, Brother Donald S. Russell; His Honor, the Mayor of Columbia, Brother Lester L. Bates; M.'.E.'.J. B. Rivers, Grand High Priest, Grand Chapter R. A. M.; M.'.I.'. W. N. Bradford, Grand Master Grand Council R. & S. Masters; R.'.E.'.W. M. White, Grand Commander, Grand Commandery Knights Templar.

The Grand Master's address revealed that one lodge continued under dispensation, and that five Special Dispensations had been issued for Lodges U. D. One Lodge, Dentsville Lodge No. 398, A.F.M., Dentsville, Columbia, was consecrated, dedicated and constituted. Two Temples were dedicated and one Cornerstone laid.

The Grand Master wrote a letter of congratulations to each newly raised Master Mason where the names had been furnished him by the several secretaries.

One distinguished visitor during the year was the Grand Master of Japan who presented a gift. He was presented an Albert Gallatin Mackey Medal.

They were also honored by a visit from the Grand Master of the Philippines.

Under State of the Craft he says:

"It is with pleasure that I report that harmony prevails throughout this Grand Jurisdiction. The Lodges have been busy throughout the year and our membership has continued to climb. The attendance at the District Meetings and Masonic functions would indicate that the membership is taking more interest in Masonry. I feel that this has been a good year for Masonry in our Grand Jurisdiction.

"I believe that Masonry in our State will continue to grow and prosper if we as individuals accept our duty and responsibility in the work, and live according to the principles and teachings of our Fraternity."

One of the outstanding events in a number of years for the Grand Lodge of South Carolina was on April 21, 1962, the Cornerstone of the Grand Lodge Building was laid and on April 25, 1963, the Grand Lodge Administration Building Library and Musuem was dedicated. This was located at 1401 Senate St., Columbia, S. C.

One of the finest Reviews that has come to our desk is the result of the labors of our friend of many years, Past Grand Master Hugh N. Layne, Fraternal Correspondent. We deeply appreciate the nice report of North Carolina, and also the kind remarks relative to this Scribe. Many Thanks.

H. Dwight McAlister was re-elected Grand Master and Henry F. Collins P.G.M., was re-elected Grand Secretary.

SOUTH DAKOTA

89th Annual Communication, Pierre, S. D., June 11, 12, 1963. M.'.W.'. Allen P. Stoddard, Grand Master. No. Members 1962, 19,617. Net Loss 302. No. Lodges 167. Grand Representatives present, 41.

18 Past Grand Masters, 26 District Masters and 75 Masters of Subordinate Lodges answered roll.

A large number of distinguished visitors including John D. Cunningham, Executive Secretary of M.S.A., were received and given the proper honors.

One of the main subjects discussed in the Grand Master's address was "Separation of Church and State." He discusses this principally in regard to public schools. We quote a few paragraphs from that address.

"Now, I certainly believe these children are entitled to transportation as well as those who attend public schools. However, the responsibility of providing it, rests with the private school system, which has been established in spite of the fact that a public school system is available for all who want to use it.

"One cannot question the right of a parent to send his children to the school of his choice, providing that school meets reasonable standards, but we may properly question the wisdom in our democracy of segregating several million young citizens on the basis of religion.

"Dr. James B. Conant who at the time was President of Harvard University stated, 'To my mind our Public Schools should serve all creeds. The greater the proportion of our youth who attend church controlled schools, the greater the threat to our Democratic unity.'

"Therefore, to use tax money for such a school, American society is using its own hands to destroy itself.

"Thomas Jefferson stated, 'No man should be forced through taxation to support either his own or another man's church or religious institution.'

"It should not be forgotten that church controlled schools do not exist for the public good, but for the purpose of indoctrination of the pupils with whatever the church authorities think proper.

"Too many of our children are coming out of these church controlled schools with very little knowledge of this great heritage we have. I believe that the future of America is largely entrusted to the Public Schools of today.

"The free Public Schools is probably the greatest factor in the United States that is giving unity to and preserving this Nation.

"Our American forefathers realized that if we were to have a strong Government, we must have strong Public Schools. They knew that America must have the type of school that preserved this form of Government. We must remember that the very fact that we are Masons makes us guardians or trustees of the American Public school.

"We should do everything within our power to see that every child within this great land of ours is taught the history and background of this United States.

"The establishment of its Government, the Declaration of Independence, The Constitution and Bill of Rights, the struggle and sacrifices of the Founding Fathers and the Freedoms that are within its framework.

"We must indoctrinate every child with the ideals of Liberty held by our Founding Fathers and instill into their minds and hearts respect and admiration for their heroic deeds and sacrifices.

"Should we go forward under the proud banner of Masonry, ever conscious of our Heritage or should we stand by while the forces that enslave the minds and souls of men engulf all our forefathers gave to insure our democratic form of Government?

"May each one of us have the intellect to know and the faith to believe in those great principles of individual freedom, the courage to assume our responsibilities and the diligence to do our duty to protect, preserve and defend that Great Heritage that was handed down to us "THE AMERICAN PUBLIC SCHOOL", non-partisan, non-sectarian, efficient, democratic for all children of all the people and the entire separation of church and state; and opposition to every attempt to appropriate public funds, federal, state or local, directly or indirectly, for the support of sectarian or private institutions."

All the Grand Officers down to and including the Junior Grand Warden made short reports on their activities for the year.

The Grand Orator's address was "The Golden Tenets of Our Order". It is reported that this address provided the Brethren with a lot of material to think about, both while at their Lodge meetings and in the course of their everyday avocation. His advice was certainly timely and well received by the Grand Lodge.

The report of the Fraternal correspondent, the Rev. David Graham, states that he has reviewed twenty-seven Grand Lodges of the world. He recommends the recognition of Belgium and India. However, he recommends practically the same hands-off policy in regard to Cuba that a majority of the other Grand Jurisdictions have assumed.

He states that South Dakota has been reviewed by a large number of Fraternal Reviewers, all of whom, with *one exception*, have been generous and kind. From his Review of North Carolina, he probably refers to this writer as the *one exception*. We did not realize that we had not been generous and certainly we meant to be kind. In our thirteen years of experience, mostly with Reviewing the Proceedings of Grand Royal Arch Chapters, Councils and Commanderies, together with all four for three years, we have never had a comment that even remotely approached this one. It would appear to us that the word "whimsey" which he uses, according to its description in Webster's Unabridged Dictionary is less capable of being defined as the term he objects to in our report. It is our opinion that a Reviewer should attempt to the best of his ability to find the best in the other Jurisdiction, whether it be Policy, Laws, Customs Rituals, Masonic Education or any other point that would be of value, of some of the practices, methods, etc., that would let us profit by their mistakes or that they might benefit by our errors. Some of the finest discussions it has been our pleasure to study can be found in some of the orations, reports, addresses of Grand Masters, and other constructive, educational and Fraternal discussions found in the Reviews.

If we have made one statement, or made one move, or inferred one item of policy that would or could deter the thinking of a single Frater, we hereby, humbly apologize. Masonry is too great and powerful, its influence too extensive and its motives too easily understood to cause the least difference between two small caliber writers. It is big-

ger and more powerful than any man or set of men. The world today needs the constructive thinking of our great Fraternity, even if it is "deadly serious." We need to be serious. It is our opinion than an approach to the matters affecting our Fraternity today, and the entire world condition, could not be handled by a "whimsical" attitude.

TENNESSEE

149th Annual Communication, Nashville, Tenn., March 27, 28, 1963. Samuel Edward Stephenson, M.'.W.'.Grand Master. Grand Master-Elect, John Ellis Malone. Membership, 91,137. Net Gain, 492. No. Lodges, 390.

A large number of distinguished visitors were introduced, escorted to the East and received with Grand Honors. Chas. C. Ricker represented North Carolina but was also received as General Grand Captain of the Host of the General Grand Chapter.

The address of the Grand Master was very thorough and outlined the work he had done during the year. He is very favorable to the pledged contribution to the George Washington Masonic National Memorial in order for it to have a perpetual maintenance.

His visitations were extensive and included various organizations other than the Symbolic Lodge.

It is worthy of note that they publish the names of those who were expelled in the proceedings. This is a *questionable* procedure and is not looked on with favor in some Grand Jurisdictions.

The District meetings were apparently a great success. In a total of 22 meetings the over-all attendance was 7,526, representing 388 Lodges or nearly 20 per lodge or 342 plus per rating. The District meetings had the largest attendance of any Jurisdiction that we have reviewed this far.

Thirty Lodges had 50 or more members present at District meetings. Seven Lodges had 50% or more of their membership in attendance. Of the 390 Lodges in Tennessee, 388 were represented at one of these District Meetings.

The Grand Secretary, Bro. T. E. Doss, Past Grand Master, supplied an article and the record under title "Historical Summary", of all the "Extinct Lodges" in the history of Masonry in Tennessee. Since Tennessee was chartered by North Carolina (The only instance on record where one Grand Lodge was actually chartered by another) this should be very interesting to North Carolina Masons.

In one of the most interesting and informative "Reviews", Past Grand Master, Wallace Phelan Douglas, Fraternal Correspondent, under the title "Forward", discusses Leadership and insists that it is one of the main reasons for a progressive, forward looking lodge, or one that is listless, with no progressive spirit and usually showing losses. We would like to quote this interesting article but space forbids.

He begins by discussing the Conference of Grand Masters in North America, the Conference of Grand Lodge Secretaries and the George Washington Masonic National Memorial Association. He gives a very interesting resume of approximately 65 Grand Jurisdictions.

His covering of the proceedings of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina were very complimentary and also very complete. He refers to the progressive, dynamic leadership of Grand Master Brewer and also to our 175th Anniversary celebration. Referring to our very capable Grand Secretary he says "We would like to commend Grand Secretary Chas. A. Harris for the manner in which the proceedings are arranged and for the references indicating final disposition of important matters."

We also appreciate the very kind complimentary reference to the first attempt of this writer to Review the proceedings of the Grand Lodges. Many Thanks.

It was indeed a pleasure to review the proceedings and to read the Reviews of this fine Grand Jurisdiction. Our personal acquaintance with a large number of these fine Masons is one of the cherished privileges of our Masonic efforts.

VERMONT

170th Annual Communication, Burlington, Vt., June 12, 13, 1963. M.'. W.'.Neal L. Cobb, Grand Master. Membership April 30, 1963, 17,617. Net Loss, 164. No. Lodges, 102. Past Grand Masters Present, 9. Grand Jurisdictions Distinguished Visitors, 14. Grand Representatives, 55. North Carolina not Represented.

The address of the Grand Master was very conclusive in its coverage. His visitations to other Jurisdictions as well as local, together with District meetings evidently consumed a great part of his time. He made special mention of DeMolay, and Lodges of Instruction. Their Committee on Education, Promotion and Masonic Progress had what was called "Booster Nights". The Grand Master recommended and the Committee recommended that the name be changed. The Committee's recommendation was "Masonic Friendship Night", and this was adopted.

Several Grand Jurisdictions are beginning to consider some of the subjects incorporated under this subject. There is rapidly coming to the front the idea of Masonic Education, Research and other phases of Masonic information other than Ritualistic.

The conclusion of the Grand Master's address was entitled "What Came you here to do—with Light added to Light"? This is a very fine discussion of a serious problem. The report of the committee on Fraternal Relations "Oral, No Business."

VIRGINIA

185th Annual communication, Richmond, Va.; Feb. 12, 1963. M.'.W.'. Edward Herman Cann, Grand Master. Membership, 70,275. Net Gain, 180. Number of Lodges, 339.

16 Past Grand Masters present. Grand Representatives present: U. S., 25; Canadian, 6; Australia and Far East, 4; Latin America, 8; European, 6.

A large number of distinguished visitors, including our own Grand Secretary, M.'.W.'.Chas. A. Harris.

A commemorative Communication of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge, Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of the Commonwealth of Virginia was held on Saturday Nov. 3, 1962, in the Lodge Room of Fredericksburg Lodge No. 4, A.F. and A.M., in Fredricksburg, Virginia, at 3:30, post meridian, for the purpose of commemorating the 210th Anniversary of the Initiation of George Washington as a Freemason. The address was delivered by Dr. Norman Peele.

The 185th Annual Communication was begun and held in the Masonic Temple, Richmond, Feb. 12, 1963, at 10:00 a.m. by M.'.W.'.Edward Herman Cann, Grand Master.

The Committee on Foreign Correspondence recommended the recognition of the Grand Lodge of India, also a recommendation of the Grand Lodge of Turkey.

We are very much interested in the report of the "*Committee on Masonic Information, Research* and *Publication.*"

In their report they state that "unless we grow, we die." We cannot endure in a static condition. Their program "had two major challenges; to implement our leadership with plans, programs and manuals, which were down to earth and appealing and equally so, to develop a dedicated and informed group who would share themselves and their experiences with the newly initiated that they might approach Freemasonry with an understanding of our beautiful Ritual and knowledge of our history, tradition, and research." They reported on such subjects as Grand Lodge workshops, area conferences, manuals, service letters, speakers bureaus, library and museum and cooperation. This is a subject that needs to be thoroughly studied by all the Grand Jurisdictions that have not already done so.

The address of the Grand Master is so complete in all details relative to his activities as Grand Master, that any attempt to discuss it would consume more space than is allotted to this Review.

We can only say it is one of the most complete, definite accounting of his stewardship that it has ever been our pleasure to review.

Apparently it is a custom in Virginia to present the Grand Master a number of presents at the time of his installation. A top hat and gloves is usually presented by the Grand Master's Home Lodge. Gavels, scrapbook of congratulatory letters and other messages. A Cadillac automobile was presented the incoming Grand Master by three of the Masonic Districts, a lounge chair, a reclining chair, a traveling bag, a scarf, a Grand Masters identification card all were presented the Grand Master.

During the year the outgoing Grand Master was the recipient of a large number of personal gifts, ranging from oysters and apples to country hams. (4 or 5 of these.)

His official visits represented an enormous amount of travel and delivering addresses.

The Reviews are up to the Virginia standard. Our old friend, Archer B. Gay, prepared the Reviews for 1963. North Carolina received a nice mention of our 175th anniversary communication.

WEST VIRGINIA

99th Annual Communication, Charleston, W. Va., Oct. 16, 17, 1963. M.'.W.'.William J. Maier Jr., Grand Master. Membership June 30, 1963, 48,396. Net Loss, 234. No. Lodges, 163. Lodges merged during the year No. 103 and 109. Past Grand Masters present, 15. Grand Representatives present, 61.

The Grand Master has relegated all visitations and special Communications to the last of his address, and begins with a discussion of the powers of a Grand Master.

"At the time of his installation doubtless every Grand Master is apprehensive lest he might exceed the proper limits of the powers of his office or otherwise use such authority in a manner inimical to the best interest of the Craft. For some years while we served as a Deputy Lecturer we had been strict about the proper pronunciation of the words of our Ritual and, on occasions, had perhaps been impatient with brethren who failed to speak the word aright. However, the vast improvement which occurred during those years in the poise of delivery and polish of the diction of our work had won general popularity, and the irritations necessarily incident to such progress had been generally forgotten. The achievement of progress is usually purchased at the price of criticism from those who are content to rest on their oars, but the rewards of excellence are generally sufficient to assuage the bitterness incident to such criticism.

"The powers of the Grand Master in our Masonic scheme of things are indeed vast, undefined, and perhaps undefinable. They are rooted in the ancient usages and customs of the Craft, and the existence of a particular power of the propriety of its use often depends on the peculiar facts and circumstances of the case or upon the answer to the question as to how far the particular power still retains its ancient virility. Likewise, it is frequently necessary for a Grand Master to tailor the remedy in a particular case to unusual circumstances, as the chancellors in our equity courts often adjust the remedy to rectify a wrong.

"But no true Mason, imbued with a sense of Masonic history and filled with pride in the purposes and accomplishments of our great institution, can be particularly concerned as Grand Master with the scope of his authority. He knows just as the Master of a particular Lodge should know, that his problem is not the extent of his authority to correct evil but the extent of his capacity to do good."

Under "The Purpose of Freemasonry" in his address he states.

"And now, my brethren, we come to what is to us the most pleasant portion of this report. Dr. James Anderson in his famous Book of Constitutions says that it is an ancient prerogative of the Grand Master at the General Assembly of Masons to "harangue the Brethren." We now propose to exercise this prerogative on the subject of the Purpose of Freemasonry.

"The subject is not a new one. Ever since Freemasonry came to full flower in the second half of the eighteenth century Masonic philosophers have been pondering the meaning and purposes of our Ancient Craft. William Prèston in his magnificent Illustrations collated the best Masonic ritual of his day. As the King's Printer he picked up the

masterly diction of Addison and Steele, of Samuel Johnson and James Boswell, of Oliver Goldsmith, of Edmund Burke and Edward Gibbon, of the elder and younger Pitt, and into his famous Fellow Craft lecture he injected many of the scientific concepts of the Universe extant in his day, thereby laying the foundation of much of the naturalism of Masonic thought which subsequently stirred the vehement wrath of the Pontiff of the Roman Church. Preston believed that the purpose of Freemasonry was to instruct, and as we today look back upon his efforts we must recognize that his goal was altogether laudable in an age when the free public school was virtually unknown.

"In the early nineteenth century the great German Masonic philosopher, Karl Christian Friedrich Krause, conceived of Freemasonry as working hand-in-hand with the Church and State for the perfection of social progress, furnishing Morals, as the State furnished Law, and the Church furnished Religion. During the same period and later Dr. George Oliver, the well-known English divine and antiquarian, influenced by the philosophy of the Romanticist, and swallowing the pseudo-historical accounts in the ancient Masonic manuscripts, found in Freemasonry a system of Tradition which led directly to the God of the Christians. And in the latter half of the nineteenth century Albert Pike, whom we regard as the founder of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite, found in Freemasonry a system of Symbolism which could yield to the diligent Master Craftsman the answers to the problems of existence, although many who now ponder the difficult pages of his Morals and Dogma find themselves lost in a morass of mysticism.

"But even in our day the definition of the purpose of Freemasonry continues to elude us. The transactions of the Conference of Grand Masters of North America reveal that this question is the tap root of most of our problems and has evoked the widest variety of answers. Some Grand Masters and some Grand Lodges regard Freemasonry mainly as a social institution and have permitted their particular Lodges to become what might be called "poor men's Shrines." Others apparently believe that Freemasonry is doomed to extinction unless so-called "projects" are adopted to put us on a par with the plethora of "service" clubs which plague the American scene today. Still others believe that our principal job should be to teach Americanism or to oppose Communism, and at least one Grand Master has suggested that we should go into politics, apparently oblivious to the Standards of Recognition adopted by the Conference in the beginning and assiduously followed by the Grand Lodge of England since the beginning of Speculative Freemasonry.

"When we turn to Masonic history we find that during the past century Masonic scholarship has established beyond the peradventure of a doubt that Speculative Freemasonry came to us from the operative guilds and lodges whose craftsmen erected the magnificent cathedrals, palaces, and public buildings of the Middle Ages. Although the legends of even the genuine manuscripts which have come to us have long since been relegated to what Dean Pound expressively calls Masonic "moonshine," there is no good reason to doubt that the regulations they set forth were the painful result of generations of experience and were actually enforced in those days. These were the ancient usages and customs of the Craft and the seed bed of most of our rites today."

This is one of the most informative discussions we have found in a Grand Master's address.

One of the special Communications was the opening of the box in the cornerstone of Logan County Courthouse with the identification on Enumeration of the items it contained. This cornerstone was laid by the Grand Lodge of West Virginia on October 23, 1905. Quite a few could not be identified or recognized.

The Committee on Foreign Correspondence gives a short report on 73 Grand Jurisdictions.

The 175th Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina is given good coverage, referring very favorably to the dynamic administration of Grand Master James W. Brewer.

In addition to the nice Reviews, these Proceedings carry an unusual amount of Statistics, together with a Roster of all the officers and members of the several Lodges in the Jurisdiction.

WYOMING

89th Annual Communication, Laramie, Wyo., August 26, 27, 963. M.'. W.'.Hugh Brower, Grand Master. Membership 6-30-63, 12,997. Net Loss, 40. No. Lodges, 55. 16 Past Grand Masters out of 20 were present.

An unusually large number of Distinguished Guests were present. The Chief Instructor and District Instructors were introduced.

An unusual presentation that all Grand Jurisdictions cannot produce was the introduction of the Director of Masonic Education and six out of eleven Education Councilors.

In referring to the Conference of Grand Masters of North America, the Grand Master stated that he was privileged to serve as Chairman of the Committee on Time and Place. It was voted to hold the next conference in Kansas City, Missouri. This is probably more central as far as travel is concerned, but the sentiment of Washington's Birthday, the visit to George Washington Masonic Memorial, Masonic Week in Washington will be absent. The holding of this conference in more central cities is a fine gesture occasionally, but if it should be made permanent, it is our opinion that in a few years it would cease to have the attraction it has had in the past.

He mentions three special Communications on October 28, 1962, November 1, 1962, and November 19, 1962, for the purpose of laying a cornerstone and dedication of two Masonic Buildings respectively.

We are very much interested in their Masonic Education Council and its workings. They have one Director of Masonic Education and eleven hard working and devoted Councilors. He also reports a satisfactory result and states that the reports which have steadily come in indicate that the Program of Masonic Education is being effectively carried out within the Grand Jursidiction of Wyoming.

He issued the following directive to all subordinate Lodges:

"This directive was issued to all Subordinate Lodges on July 6. 1963.

"Since the Grand Lodge, on August 28, 1962, adopted certain amendments to Sections 365 and 375 of the Masonic Code;

"And since these amendments made necessary certain changes in the term of office of all Subordinate Lodge officers;

"And, since these changes have given rise to the question of which officers shall represent their Lodge at the Eighty-ninth Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge;

"I direct your attention to Section 3 of the Code, which defines membership in the Grand Lodge, and it is my order;

"That those officers who are in office at the time of the Annual Communication shall represent their Lodges, subject to the provisions of Sections 3, 34, and 40 and that they shall receive mileage according to the provisions of Section 231."

A recommendation of the Grand Master to establish the amount of $100.00 as the mininum for the fees, and that the annual dues shall not be less than $10.00. This was disapproved by the Jurisprudence Committee and their report was approved.

The subject of "The Acacia Fraternity" was discussed in detail after which a motion was introduced that "The Grand Lodge go on record approving the program that these boys have outlined and that the subordinate lodges through the officers and members, be thoroughly informed as to the bonds the boys are attempting to sell, as your investment in Masonry in Wyoming."

Following some discussion the motion carried. The report of the Foreign Correspondent was fully presented but there were no Reviews.

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GRAND OFFICERS (ELECTIVE) OF NORTH CAROLINA FROM ORGANIZATION IN 1787 TO 1964

	GRAND MASTER	DEPUTY GRAND MASTER	SENIOR GRAND WARDEN	JUNIOR GRAND WARDEN	GRAND TREASURER	GRAND SECRETARY
1787	Samuel Johnston	Richard Caswell	Richard Ellis	Michael Payne	Abner Neale	James Glasgow
1788	Richard Caswell	Michael Payne	James Glasgow	Silas White Arnett	Stephen Cabarrus	William J. Dawson
1789	Samuel Johnston	James Glasgow	Silas White Arnett	Lunsford Long	Stephen Cabarrus	William J. Dawson
1790	Samuel Johnston	James Glasgow	Stephen Cabarrus	Isaac Guion	Frederick Hargett	Matthias Handy
1791	Samuel Johnston	James Glasgow	Stephen Cabarrus	Lunsford Long	Frederick Hargett	Matthias Handy
1792	Wm. Richardson Davie	James Glasgow	Lunsford Long	John Macon	Frederick Hargett	James Ellis
1793	Wm. Richardson Davie	James Glasgow	John Macon	John Louis Taylor	Frederick Hargett	Richard W. Freear
1794	Wm. Richardson Davie	James Glasgow	John Louis Taylor	John Ingles	Walter Alvis	Richard W. Freear
1795	Wm. Richardson Davie	James Glasgow	John Louis Taylor	Henry Hill	John Macon	Robert Williams
1796	Wm. Richardson Davie	James Glasgow	John Louis Taylor	Montfort Stokes	Richard W. Freear	Robert Williams
1797	Wm. Richardson Davie	James Glasgow	John Louis Taylor	Montfort Stokes	Richard W. Freear	Robert Williams
1798	Wm. Richardson Davie	John Haywood	Montfort Stokes	David Caldwell	Henry Potter	Robert Williams
1799	William Polk	John Louis Taylor	Montfort Stokes	Waightstill Avery	Henry Potter	Robert Williams
1800	William Polk	John Louis Taylor	Montfort Stokes	John Winslow	Henry Potter	Robert Williams
1801	William Polk	John Louis Taylor	Montfort Stokes	William Duffy	William Boylan	Robert Williams
1802	John Louis Taylor	Montfort Stokes	John Hall	Nathaniel Alexander	William Boylan	Robert Williams
1803	John Louis Taylor	Montfort Stokes	John Hall	William Duffy	William Boylan	Robert Williams
1804	John Louis Taylor	Montfort Stokes	John Hall	Robert Cochran	William Boylan	Robert Williams
1805	John Hall	Montfort Stokes	Robert Cochran	William Duffy	William Boylan	Robert Williams
1806	John Hall	Montfort Stokes	Robert Cochran	William Duffy	William Boylan	Robert Williams
1807	John Hall	Montfort Stokes	Benjamin Smith	Geo. Lee Davidson	William Boylan	Robert Williams
1808	Benjamin Smith	Robert Williams	Geo. Lee Davidson	Andrew Caldwell	William Boylan	Thomas L. Williams
1809	Benjamin Smith	Robert Williams	Montfort Stokes	Calvin Jones	William Boylan	Thomas L. Williams
1810	Benjamin Smith	Robert Williams	Calvin Jones	Geo. Lee Davidson	William Boylan	Thomas L. Williams
1811	Robert Williams	Jeremiah Slade	Calvin Jones	Geo. Lee Davidson	William Boylan	Alexander Lucas
1812	Robert Williams	Jeremiah Slade	Calvin Jones	William Miller	William Boylan	Alexander Lucas
1813	Robert Williams	Jeremiah Slade	Calvin Jones	William Miller	William Boylan	Alexander Lucas
1814	John Louis Taylor	Jeremiah Slade	Calvin Jones	William Miller	William Boylan	Alexander Lucas
1815	John Louis Taylor		Calvin Jones	William Miller	William Boylan	Alexander Lucas
1816	John Louis Taylor	Kemp Plummer	Calvin Jones	William Miller	William Boylan	Alexander Lucas
1817	Calvin Jones	John Winslow	James Iredell	Simmons J. Baker	William Boylan	Alexander Lucas
1818	Calvin Jones	John Winslow	Louis Dicken Wilson	Leonard Henderson	William Boylan	Alexander Lucas
1819	Calvin Jones	James Iredell	Louis Dicken Wilson	Leonard Henderson	William Boylan	Alexander Lucas
1820	John Adams Cameron	Frederick Nash	Louis Dicken Wilson	John C. Ehringhaus	William Boylan	Bazaleel Gillett
1821	John Adams Cameron		Jas. Strudwick Smith	Joseph H. Bryan	William Boylan	Benj. A. Barham
1822	James Strudwick Smith	James Iredell	Joseph H. Bryan	Richard D. Spaight	William Boylan	Benj. A. Barham
1823	Robert Strange	Francis Lister Hawks	Thomas Clancy	Bazaleel Gillett	William Boylan	Alex. J. Lawrence
1824	Robert Strange	Francis Lister Hawks	Thomas A. Pasteur	Bazaleel Gillett	Benjamin A. Barham	Alex. J. Lawrence
1825	Hutchins Gordon Burton	Francis Lister Hawks	George E. Spruill	Louis Dicken Wilson	Benjamin A. Barham	Alex. J. Lawrence
1826	Hutchins Gordon Burton	Francis Lister Hawks	George E. Spruill	Louis Dicken Wilson	Benjamin A. Barham	Alex. J. Lawrence
1827	Louis Dicken Wilson	John E. Lewis	George E. Spruill	Jesse Speight	Benjamin A. Barham	Alex. J. Lawrence

1828	Louis Dicken Wilson	John Owen	James Grant	Samuel F. Patterson	Benjamin A. Barham	John C. Stedman
1829	Louis Dicken Wilson	John Owen	James Grant	Samuel F. Patterson	Benjamin A. Barham	John C. Stedman
1830	Richard Dobbs Spaight	Samuel F. Patterson	George Blair	John Hill Wheeler	Benjamin A. Barham	John C. Stedman
1831	Richard Dobbs Spaight	Samuel F. Patterson	Rufus Haywood	Daniel Coleman	Dirk Lindeman	Charles D. Lehman
1832	Simmons Jones Baker	William Davidson	Gray Little	John G. Marshall	Dirk Lindeman	Thomas J. Lemay
1833	Samuel F. Patterson	David W. Stone	Daniel Coleman	Edmund B. Freeman	Dirk Lindeman	John J. Christophers
1834	Samuel F. Patterson	David W. Stone	Daniel Coleman	John G. Marshall	Dirk Lindeman	John J. Christophers
1835	Lewis H. Marsteller	David W. Stone	Daniel Coleman	Edmund B. Freeman	Green W. Ligon	John J. Christophers
1836	Lewis H. Marsteller	David W. Stone	Henry Blount	James Maclin	Green W. Ligon	William T. Bain
1837	David W. Stone	Thomas L. B. Gregory	William W. Cherry	William B. Dunn	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1838	David W. Stone	Kenneth Rayner	William W. Cherry	Duncan G. McRae	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1839	David W. Stone	William B. Dunn	John G. Marshall	Daniel S. Crenshaw	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1840	Simmons Jones Baker	William S. Baker	Daniel S. Crenshaw	Kader Biggs	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William A. Harrison
1841	Daniel S. Crenshaw	Thomas Loring	Thomas E. Pender	Davis Young	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William A. Harrison
1842	John Hill Wheeler	Jonathan H. Jacocks	Thomas E. Pender	Davis Young	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William A. Harrison
1843	John Hill Wheeler	David Lowery Swain	Phineas W. Fanning	William P. Taylor	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William A. Harrison
1844	Phineas W. Fanning	David W. Stone	Thomas S. Clark	Arthur S. Mooring	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1845	Phineas W. Fanning	Thomas Loring	Wiley W. Johnson	Talcott Burr	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1846	Phineas W. Fanning	William Gott	John H. Drake	Peter Adams	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1847	William F. Collins	Clement H. Jordan	Talcott Burr	William H. Mead	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1848	William F. Collins	Clement H. Jordan	John H. Drake	Joab Hiatt	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1849	William F. Collins	Clement H. Jordan	William G. Hill	Joab Hiatt	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1850	Alonzo T. Jerkins	Cyrus P. Mendenhall	Luke Blackmer	James E. Allen	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1851	Alonzo T. Jerkins	Cyrus P. Mendenhall	Luke Blackmer	James E. Allen	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1852	Alonzo T. Jerkins	Cyrus P. Mendenhall	Luke Blackmer	William P. Taylor	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1853	Clement H. Jordan	William P. Taylor	Peter Adams	James H. Moore	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1854	Clement H. Jordan	William P. Taylor	William K. Blake	Joseph Green	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1855	Pleasant A. Holt	William P. Taylor	William K. Blake	Joseph Green	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1856	Pleasant A. Holt	Alfred Martin	James T. Alexander	Joseph M. Cox	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1857	Alfred Martin	Lewis S. Williams	James T. Alexander	Joseph M. Cox	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1858	Alfred Martin	Lewis S. Williams	Henry C. Lucas	Daniel Coleman	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1859	Lewis S. Williams	Eli W. Ward	Henry C. Lucas	Eli F. Watson	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1860	Lewis S. Williams	Eli W. Ward	James E. Allen	Charles C. Clark	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1861	William G. Hill	Eli Watson	Daniel Coleman	Rufus K. Speed	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1862	Eli F. Watson	Edwin Godwin Reade	John McCormick	Rufus K. Speed	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1863	Eli F. Watson	Edwin Godwin Reade	John McCormick	Robert W. Best	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1864	John McCormick	Eugene Grissom	Robert W. Best	David H. Stephenson	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1865	Edwin Godwin Reade	John M. Happoldt	Robert W. Best	John Nichols	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1866	Edwin Godwin Reade	Robert W. Best	William Lander	John Nichols	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1867	Robert W. Best	James G. Ramsey	Robert B. Vance	Thomas M. Gardner	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	Donald W. Bain
1868	Robert B. Vance	Ellis Malone	Joseph B. Batchelor	Samuel H. Rountree	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1869	Robert B. Vance	Ellis Malone	John Nichols	Samuel H. Rountree	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1870	Charles C. Clark	Joseph B. Batchelor	John Nichols	Samuel H. Rountree	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1871	Charles C. Clark	Joseph B. Batchelor	John Nichols	Clinton A. Cilley	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1872	John Nichols	Thomas M. Gardner	Clinton A. Cilley	Robert W. Hardie	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1873	John Nichols	Thomas M. Gardner	Clinton A. Cilley	Robert W. Hardie	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1874	George W. Blount	Clinton A. Cilley	Horace H. Munson	Horace H. Munson	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1875	George W. Blount	Samuel C. Shelton	Eugene Grissom	Robert V. Blackstock	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain

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1876	Horace H. Munson	Clinton A. Cilley	Robert W. Hardie	James C. L. Gudger	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1877	Horace H. Munson	Thomas S. Kenan	Robert W. Hardie	James C. L. Gudger	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1878	William R. Cox	James C. L. Gudger	Chas. W. Alexander	Henry F. Grainger	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1879	William R. Cox	James C. L. Gudger	Chas. W. Alexander	Henry F. Grainger	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1880	Henry F. Grainger	James W. Reid	Robert Bingham	Charles H. Robinson	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1881	Henry F. Grainger	James W. Reid	Robert Bingham	Charles H. Robinson	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1882	Robert Bingham	Fabius H. Busbee	Charles H. Robinson	William T. Kennedy	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1884	Robert Bingham	Fabius H. Busbee	Charles H. Robinson	Samuel H. Smith	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1885	Fabius H. Busbee	Charles H. Robinson	Samuel H. Smith	Hezekiah A. Gudger	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1886	Fabius H. Busbee	Charles H. Robinson	Samuel H. Smith	Hezekiah A. Gudger	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1887	Charles H. Robinson	Samuel H. Smith	Hezekiah A. Gudger	John W. Cotten	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1888	Charles H. Robinson	Samuel H. Smith	Hezekiah A. Gudger	John W. Cotten	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1889	Samuel H. Smith	Hezekiah A. Gudger	John W. Cotten	Francis M. Moye	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1890	Samuel H. Smith	Hezekiah A. Gudger	John W. Cotten	Francis M. Moye	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1891	Hezekiah A. Gudger	John W. Cotten	Francis M. Moye	Richard J. Noble	Darius S. Waitt	Donald W. Bain
1892	Hezekiah A. Gudger	John W. Cotten	Francis M. Moye	Richard J. Noble	William Simpson	Donald W. Bain
1893	John W. Cotten	Francis M. Moye	Richard J. Noble	Walter E. Moore	William Simpson	William H. Bain
1894	John W. Cotten	Francis M. Moye	Richard J. Noble	Walter E. Moore	William Simpson	William H. Bain
1895	Francis M. Moye	Richard J. Noble	Walter E. Moore	James A. Leach	William Simpson	John C. Drewry
1896	Francis M. Moye	William H. Summerell	Walter E. Moore	Beverly S. Royster	William Simpson	John C. Drewry
1897	Walter E. Moore	Richard J. Noble	Beverly S. Royster	Henry Irwin Clark	William Simpson	John C. Drewry
1898	Walter E. Moore	Richard J. Noble	Beverly S. Royster	Henry Irwin Clark	William Simpson	John C. Drewry
1899	Richard J. Noble	Beverly S. Royster	Henry Irwin Clark	Walter S. Liddell	William Simpson	John C. Drewry
1900	Beverly S. Royster	Henry Irwin Clark	Walter S. Liddell	Francis D. Winston	William Simpson	John C. Drewry
1901	Beverly S. Royster	Henry Irwin Clark	Walter S. Liddell	Francis D. Winston	William Simpson	John C. Drewry
1902	Henry Irwin Clark	Walter S. Liddell	Francis D. Winston	Samuel M. Gattis	William Simpson	John C. Drewry
1903	Henry Irwin Clark	Walter S. Liddell	Francis D. Winston	Samuel M. Gattis	William Simpson	John C. Drewry
1904	Walter S. Liddell	Francis D. Winston	Samuel M. Gattis	Richard N. Hackett	William Simpson	John C. Drewry
1905	Walter S. Liddell	Francis D. Winston	Samuel M. Gattis	Richard N. Hackett	Leo. D. Heartt	John C. Drewry
1906	Francis D. Winston	Samuel M. Gattis	Richard N. Hackett	William B. McKoy	Leo. D. Heartt	John C. Drewry
1907	Francis D. Winston	Samuel M. Gattis	Richard N. Hackett	William B. McKoy	Leo. D. Heartt	John C. Drewry
1908	Samuel M. Gattis	Richard N. Hackett	William B. McKoy	F. M. Winchester	Leo. D. Heartt	John C. Drewry
1909	Samuel M. Gattis	Richard N. Hackett	William B. McKoy	F. M. Winchester	Leo. D. Heartt	John C. Drewry
1910	Richard N. Hackett	William B. McKoy	F. M. Winchester	John T. Alderman	Leo. D. Heartt	John C. Drewry
1911	Richard N. Hackett	William B. McKoy	F. M. Winchester	John T. Alderman	Leo. D. Heartt	John C. Drewry
1912	William B. McKoy	Francis M. Winchester	John T. Alderman	Frank P. Hobgood, Jr.	Leo. D. Heartt	John C. Drewry
1913	Francis M. Winchester	John T. Alderman	Frank P. Hobgood, Jr.	Alex. B. Andrews, Jr.	Leo. D. Heartt	John C. Drewry
1914	John T. Alderman	Frank P. Hobgood, Jr.	Alex. B. Andrews, Jr.	Claude L. Pridgen	Leo. D. Heartt	John C. Drewry
1915	Frank P. Hobgood, Jr.	Alex. B. Andrews, Jr.	Claude L. Pridgen	George S. Norfleet	Leo. D. Heartt	John C. Drewry
1916	Alex. B. Andrews, Jr.	Claude L. Pridgen	George S. Norfleet	Henry A. Grady	Leo. D. Heartt	John C. Drewry
1917	Claude L. Pridgen	George S. Norfleet	Henry A. Grady	James C. Braswell	Leo. D. Heartt	William W. Willson

1918	George S. Norfleet	Henry A. Grady	James C. Braswell	J. Bailey Owen	Benjamin R. Lacy	William W. Willson
1919	Henry A. Grady	James C. Braswell	J. Bailey Owen	James H. Webb	Benjamin R. Lacy	William W. Willson
1920	James C. Braswell	J. Bailey Owen	James H. Webb	Hubert M. Poteat	Benjamin R. Lacy	William W. Willson
1921	J. Bailey Owen	James H. Webb	Hubert M. Poteat	J. LeGrand Everett	Benjamin R. Lacy	William W. Willson
1922	James H. Webb	Hubert M. Poteat	J. LeGrand Everett	Leon Cash	Benjamin R. Lacy	William W. Willson
1923	Hubert M. Poteat	J. LeGrand Everett	Leon Cash	John E. Cameron	Benjamin R. Lacy	William W. Willson
1924	J. LeGrand Everett	Leon Cash	John E. Cameron	John H. Anderson	Benjamin R. Lacy	William W. Willson
1925	Leon Cash	John E. Cameron	John H. Anderson	Raymond C. Dunn	Benjamin R. Lacy	William W. Willson
1926	John E. Cameron	John H. Anderson	Raymond C. Dunn	John J. Phoenix	Benjamin R. Lacy	William W. Willson
1927	John H. Anderson	Raymond C. Dunn	John J. Phoenix	A. J. Harris	Benjamin R. Lacy	William W. Willson
1928	Raymond C. Dunn	John J. Phoenix	E. W. Timberlake, Jr.	B. S. Royster, Jr.	Benjamin R. Lacy	William W. Willson
1929	John J. Phoenix	E. W. Timberlake, Jr.	B. S. Royster, Jr.	J. Wallace Winborne	Benjamin R. Lacy	John H. Anderson
1930	Edgar W. Timberlake, Jr.	J. Wallace Winborne	Herbert C. Alexander	P. T. Wilson	John J. Phoenix	John H. Anderson
1931	J. Wallace Winborne	Herbert C. Alexander	P. T. Wilson	Roy F. Ebbs	John J. Phoenix	John H. Anderson
1932	Herbert C. Alexander	P. T. Wilson	Roy F. Ebbs	Charles B. Newcomb	John J. Phoenix	John H. Anderson
1933	P. T. Wilson	Roy F. Ebbs	Charles B. Newcomb	J. Giles Hudson	John J. Phoenix	John H. Anderson
1934	Roy F. Ebbs	Charles B. Newcomb	J. Giles Hudson	Watson N. Sherrod	Herbert C. Alexander	John H. Anderson
1935	Charles B. Newcomb	J. Giles Hudson	Watson N. Sherrod	Harry T. Paterson	Herbert C. Alexander	John H. Anderson
1936	J. Giles Hudson	Watson N. Sherrod	Harry T. Paterson	J. Edward Allen	Herbert C. Alexander	John H. Anderson
1937	Watson N. Sherrod	Harry T. Paterson	J. Edward Allen	Thos. J. Harkins	Herbert C. Alexander	John H. Anderson
1938	Harry T. Paterson	J. Edward Allen	Thos. J. Harkins	Charles P. Eldridge	Herbert C. Alexander	John H. Anderson
1939	J. Edward Allen	Thomas J. Harkins	Charles P. Eldridge	James E. Shipman	Herbert C. Alexander	John H. Anderson
1940	Thomas J. Harkins	Charles P. Eldridge	James E. Shipman	James W. Payne	Herbert C. Alexander	John H. Anderson
1941	Charles P. Eldridge	James E. Shipman	James W. Payne	Julius C. Hobbs	Herbert C. Alexander	John H. Anderson
1942	James E. Shipman	James W. Payne	Julius C. Hobbs	Clyde H. Jarrett	Herbert C. Alexander	John H. Anderson
1943	James W. Payne	Julius C. Hobbs	Clyde H. Jarrett	William J. Bundy	Herbert C. Alexander	John H. Anderson
1944	Julius C. Hobbs	Clyde H. Jarrett	William J. Bundy	Luther T. Hartsell, Jr.	Herbert C. Alexander	John H. Anderson
1945	Clyde H. Jarrett	William J. Bundy	Luther T. Hartsell, Jr.	Maxwell E. Hoffman	Herbert C. Alexander	Chas. B. Newcomb
1946	William J. Bundy	Luther T. Hartsell, Jr.	Maxwell E. Hoffman	Wilkins P. Horton	Herbert C. Alexander	Wilbur L. McIver
1947	Luther T. Hartsell, Jr.	Maxwell E. Hoffman	Wilkins P. Horton	Wallace E. Caldwell	Herbert C. Alexander	Wilbur L. McIver
1948	Maxwell E. Hoffman	Wilkins P. Horton	Wallace E. Caldwell	Herbert M. Foy	Herbert C. Alexander	Wilbur L. McIver
1949	Wilkins P. Horton	Wallace E. Caldwell	Herbert M. Foy	William H. White	Herbert C. Alexander	Wilbur L. McIver
1950	Wallace E. Caldwell	Herbert M. Foy	William H. White	Edwin T. Howard	Herbert C. Alexander	Wilbur L. McIver
1951	Herbert M. Foy	William H. White	Edwin T. Howard	Robert L. Pugh	Herbert C. Alexander	Wilbur L. McIver
1952	William H. White	Edwin T. Howard	Robert L. Pugh	Charles H. Pugh	Herbert C. Alexander	Wilbur L. McIver
1953	Edwin T. Howard	Robert L. Pugh	Charles H. Pugh	John C. Vance	Herbert C. Alexander	Wilbur L. McIver
1954	Robert L. Pugh	Charles H. Pugh	John C. Vance	Charles A. Harris	Herbert C. Alexander	Wilbur L. McIver
1955	Charles H. Pugh	John C. Vance	Charles A. Harris	James G. Johnston	Herbert C. Alexander	Wilbur L. McIver
1956	John C. Vance	Charles A. Harris	James G. Johnston	W. Eli Hand	Herbert C. Alexander	Wilbur L. McIver
1957	Charles A. Harris	James G. Johnston	W. Eli Hand	Harvey W. Smith	Herbert C. Alexander	Wilbur L. McIver
1958	James G. Johnston	W. Eli Hand	Harvey W. Smith	Lester H. Gillikin	Herbert M. Foy	Wilbur L. McIver
1959	W. Eli Hand	Harvey W. Smith	Lester H. Gillikin	James W. Brewer	Herbert M. Foy	Charles A. Harris
1960	Harvey W. Smith	James W. Brewer	Charles C. Ricker	*J. Edward Rooker, Jr.	Herbert M. Foy	Charles A. Harris
1961	James W. Brewer	Charles C. Ricker	W. Edward Burrier	G. Dudley Humphrey	Herbert M. Foy	Charles A. Harris
1962	Charles C. Ricker	W. Edward Burrier	G. Dudley Humphrey	Sam A. Hennis, Jr.	James W. Brewer	Charles A. Harris
1963	W. Edward Burrier	G. Dudley Humphrey	Sam A. Hennis, Jr.	Arnold J. Koonce, Sr.	James W. Brewer	Charles A. Harris
1964	G. Dudley Humphrey	Sam A. Hennis, Jr.	Arnold J. Koonce, Sr.	Alfred J. Kafer, Jr.	James W. Brewer	Charles A. Harris

* (1960) Bro. Rooker was not installed due to being absent on account of illness.

GRAND LODGES, GRAND SECRETARIES AND GRAND REPRESENTATIVES

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Alabama (F. & A.M.)	Gordon L. Evatt, P.G.M., Box 98 Montgomery 1 (36101)	*Rev. A. D. Leon Gray, Supt., Oxford Orphanage, Oxford	George F. Logan, Box 156, Tallassee
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Connecticut (A.F. & A.M.)	Earle K. Haling, P.G.M., Mas. Temp., 201 Ann St., Hartford 3 (06103)	*W. K. Price, c/o Mas. & East. Star Home of N.C., Inc., Greensboro	Paul D. Collier, P.G.M., 963 N. Hopmeadow St., Simsbury
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Dist. of Columbia (FAAM)	Paul R. Mattix, P.G.M., Mas. Temple, 801 13th St., N.W., Washington 5	*W. Edward Burrier, 2733 Picardy Place, Charlotte	Frederick B. Blackburn, 7121 Sycamore Ave., Takoma Park 12, Maryland
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Maine (A.F. & A.M.)	Earle D. Webster, 415 Congress St., Mas. Temp., Portland 3 (04111)	*Fred F. Harding, 2707 Barmettler St., Raleigh	George W. Haskell, Houlton
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North Dakota (A.F. & A.M.)	Clifford E. Miller, Box 1269, Fargo (58103)	Lloyd C. Dillon, Box 90, Thomasville	Haden M. Williams, 419 8th St., N. W., Minot
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Ceara, Grand Loja Do	Caixa Postal 76, Fortaleza, Ceara, Brazil	J. Edward Rooker, Jr., Warrenton	Julio Landim
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Paraguay, Symbolic Grand Lodge of	Palma No. 417, Asuncion, Paraguay	Harry W. Panton, Milwaukee	
Peru, Symbolic Gr. Lodge A.F. & A.M. of	Apartado 587 Lima, Peru	*Sam A. Hennis, Jr., P. O. Drawer 711, Mount Airy	Emilio Guerra Pejovez
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Netherlands, The Grand East of The F. & A.M.	Grand Secretary, Fluwelen Burgwal, 22, The Hague	Hubert M. Brown, 318 Holland St., Durham	G. Van Stolk, Jr., Rozenburglaan 60, Rotterdam
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WITH NAMES OF SECRETARIES AND MASTERS, AND THEIR POST OFFICE ADDRESSES.

The Masonic District In Which Lodges Are Situated Being Indicated By Numbers In Parentheses

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1	St. John's (10)	Wilmington	2 Tuesday	Chas. B. Newcomb, PGM., PGS. Box 653	Harold R. Snipes, Sr., Rt. 3, Box 564	1
2	Royal White Hart (20)	Halifax	1 Tuesday	William M. Mashburn, Box 185	William A. Cooke, Tillery	2
3	St. John's (7)	New Bern	2&4 Wed., Oct-May 2 Wed., June-Sep.	Alfred A. Kafer, Jr., Box 1349	James T. Johnson, Box 746	3
4	St. John's (6)	Kinston	2 and 4 Monday	W. Harvey Caton, Box 133	Ralph G. Keith, 203 Pierce Rd.	4
5	Charity (2)	Windsor	1 and 3 Monday	Biver E. Grant, Box 306	Hubert E. White, Box 62, Colerain	5
7	Unanimity (1)	Edenton	Every Thursday	Willie P. Goodwin, 214 E. Eden St.	Willard M. Rhoades, 102 E. Water St.	7
8	Phoenix (13)	Fayetteville	2 Friday	Johnnie B. Jones, Box 255	Norris M. Vallandingham, 1413 Briar Cliff Dr.	8
10	Johnston-Caswell (21)	Warrenton	1 and 3 Monday	L. Owen Robertson, Box 98	Hugh H. Stegall, Rt. 1	10
11	Caswell Bro'hood (30)	Yanceyville	1 and 3 Monday	Sheffield H. Abell, Box 234	Harvey L. Chaney, Jr., Rt. 1 Ruffin	11
13	St. John's (9)	Kenansville	1 and 3 Thursday	Charles L. Nicholson, Box 145	James F. Bunce, Box 156	13
17	American George (19)	Murfreesboro	1 and 3 Monday	Edwin T. Forbes, Box 352	Terence M. McAuley, 510 S. 4th St.	17
19	Eagle (30)	Hillsboro	2 and 4 Friday	Lauton W. Pettit, Box 583	John M. Roberts, Box 42	19
27	Statesville (45)	Statesville	1 and 3 Tuesday	Ben L. Watts, Box 171	Marshall C. Deaton, 1401 7th St.	27
31	Phalanx (40)	Charlotte	1 Tuesday	Ben C. Maffitt, Jr., Box 2403 (1)	Harold C. Murr, 3218 Enfield Rd.	31
32	Stokes (38)	Concord	1 Monday	Edwin W. Liverman, 103 N. Church St.	James T. Russell, 38 Pounds Ave.	32
39	Davie (2)	Lewiston	1 and 3 Thursday	Henry E. Bunch, Box 267	Robert E. Williford	39
40	Hiram (23)	Raleigh	1 and 3 Monday	Jack D. Moore, Box 11273	James W. Campbell, Box 9603	40
45	Liberty (48)	Wilkesboro	1 and 3 Thursday	James F. Jordan, 601 E. Main St.	Douglas F. Wood, Rt. 1, Box 171	45
53	Hall (1)	Shawboro, Star Rt.	1 Wednesday	William W. Forehand, Box 136, Shiloh	Samuel W. Leary, Shiloh	53
56	King Solomon (19)	Jackson	1 Tuesday	Ballard S. Gay, Box 495	Wendell C. Long, R. F. D., Seaboard	56
58	Concord (18)	Tarboro	2 and 4 Tuesday	Carl L. Kornegay, Box 239	John J. Cummings, Rt. 1, Box 105A	58
59	Perseverance (4)	Plymouth	Every Tuesday	G. Raymond Leggett, Sr., Box 427	Putnam P. Landing, Jr., 115 Golf Rd.	59
64	Kilwinning (27)	Wadesboro	2 and 4 Thursday	W. Calvin Gaddy, Box 388	Ed A. Tice, Box 146	64
75	Widow's Son (1)	Camden	2 and 4 Fri. 4 Fri. (Jun-Aug)	R. K. Hollomon, 502 Cedar St., Eliz. City	Thomas M. Noblitt, Belcross	75
76	Greensboro (34)	Greensboro	2 and 4 Thursday	William L. McPherson, Box 76	Parks H. Norman, Jr., Rt. 2, Box 81	76
81	Zion (7)	Trenton	1 and 3 Thursday	Henry B. Johnson, Rt. 1, Box 400	Bascome E. Miller, Pollocksville	81
83	LaFayette (8)	Jacksonville	1 and 3 Tuesday	Charles R. Keel, 1024 River St.	Charles W. Summerlin, Box 1204	83
84	Fellowship (15)	Smithfield	1 and 3 Thursday	Lacy O. Thomas, 507 E. Davis St.	E. B. Wallace, Rt. 1, Box 117, Clayton	84
85	Morning Star (18)	Nashville	2 and 4 Tuesday	E. Leon Matthews, Box 383	Robert Gupton, Box 41	85
90	Skewarkee (2)	Williamston	2 and 4 Tuesday	Julian H. Harrell, 215 Marshall Ave.	Joe B. Creekmore, W. Vance St.	90
91	Western Star (52)	Rutherfordton	1 and 3 Tuesday	C. Francis Jones, 219 Crestview St.	S. Claude Hawkins, 205 Callahan St.	91

No.	Lodge	Location	Meeting	Secretary	Master	No.
92	Joseph Warren (17)	Stantonsburg	1 Thursday	G. Lee Best, Box 26	William H. Jones, Jr., Rt. 1	92
95	Jerusalem (6)	Hookerton	2 Tuesday	Leroy B. Whitfield, Box 81	Wiley C. Forrest, Rt. 1, Box 451, Kinston	95
97	Millbrook (23)	Millbrook	1 and 3 Tuesday	Geo. W. White, Rt. 1, Box 337, Raleigh	George D. Aiken, 4014 Six Forks Rd., Raleigh	97
98	Hiram (14)	Clinton	1 and 3 Tuesday	Norwood P. Parker, Box 875	John T. Ashford, Jr., Box 269	98
99	Fulton (37)	Salisbury	1 and 3 Friday	Thomas W. Summersett, Jr., Box 547	C. Ned Trexler, 1224 Forestdale Dr.	99
102	Columbus (25)	Pittsboro	1 Tuesday	Joseph T. Torbert, Box 694	John W. Drake, Box 368	102
104	Orr (4)	Washington	1 and 3 Tuesday	George W. Farmer, Box 296	Edgar F. McGrath, 746 W. Main St.	104
106	Perquimans (1)	Hertford	Every Tuesday	Cecil E. Winslow, Box 285	William A. White, 401 N. Church St.	106
109	Franklin (8)	Beaufort	1 and 3 Monday	E. Wilfred Downum, 417-419 Front St.	Alexander C. Conway, Box 196, Harkers Island	109
112	Wayne (16)	Goldsboro	1 and 3 Monday	Herbert B. Edgerton, Box 356	William H. Edgerton, Rt. 5	112
113	Person (32)	Roxboro	2 and 4 Tuesday	William B. Hicks, Rt. 1	Charlie F. Gentry, Box 103, Cavel	113
114	St. Alban's (12)	Lumberton	1 Tuesday	Archie B. Stalvey, Box 904	Thomas W. White, 1007½ Riverside Dr.	114
115	Holly Springs (24)	Holly Springs	2 and 4 Tuesday	M. Jack Stephens, Box 123	James F. Yarborough, Rt.1	115
117	Mount Lebanon (17)	Wilson	1 and 3 Monday	W. Gardner Ashe, Box 1085	L. W. Laughinghouse, 509 Broughton St.	117
118	Mount Hermon (54)	Asheville	1 Thursday	Reuben Barnitz, Masonic Temple	Dr. H. A. Hutchins, 152 Merrimon Ave.	118
122	Oxford (32)	Oxford	1 and 3 Monday	Eli T. Regan, Oxford Orphanage	F. Royster Critcher, 405 Linden Ave.	122
123	Franklinton (21)	Franklinton	1 and 3 Tuesday	William H. Cyrus, 3 East Mason St.	Bayard L. Bragg, Jr., Rt. 1, Box 215	123
125	Mill Creek (14)	Newton Grove	1 and 3 Thursday	David O. Bryan, Jr., Box 37	Calvin E. Williford, Rt. 3, Mount Olive	125
126	Gatesville (1)	Gatesville	1 and 3 Thursday	Harry L. Ward	Otis B. Jones, Jr., Rt. 1, Box 53	126
127	Blackmer (28)	Mount Gilead	1 and 3 Tuesday	James B. Dunlap, Box 222	Herbert Spivey, Box 282	127
128	Hanks (29)	Franklinville	2 Monday	Howard A. Saunders, Box 136	Charles P. Anderson, Rt. 1, Climax	128
129	Dan River (33)	Madison	1 and 3 Monday	Hubert W. Hawkins, Box 292	William W. Moorhead, 101 N. 7th Ave., Mayodan	129
132	Radiance (6)	Snow Hill	1 and 3 Friday	James H. Heath, 412 S. E. 3rd St.	William J. Hughes, Box 4	132
134	Mocksville (46)	Mocksville	1 and 3 Friday	Charles S. Anderson, 509 Wilkesboro St.	M. Hudson Hoyle, Jr., Cooleemee	134
136	Leaksville (33)	Leaksville	1 and 3 Monday	Walter M. Carter, Rt. 1, Box 100	Jerry D. Webster, 309 Oakwood Dr.	136
137	Lincoln (41)	Lincolnton	1 Monday	James H. Ross, Box 163	Efird S. Burris, 108 S. Poplar St.	137
138	King Solomon (10)	Burgaw	2 Friday	Arthur C. Batson, Box 635	Dr. James H. Peedin, Jr.	138
143	Mount Vernon (25)	Bonlee	2 Sat. and 4 Fri.	Albert W. Davis, Box 22	Charles R. Foust, Mt. Vernon Springs	143
145	Junaluskee (57)	Franklin	1 and 3 Tuesday	Harry C. Corbin, 42 Hayes Circle	Norman P. Norton, Box 171	145
146	Cherokee (58)	Murphy	1 Monday	Robert M. Johnson, R.F.D. 2	Hugh M. Brittain, Box 224	146
147	Palmyra (13)	Dunn	1 Tuesday	Nicholas A. Joseph, Box 632	George P. Lee, Box 589	147
149	Adoniram (32)	Cornwall*	1 Tuesday	Robert K. Hyler, Jr., Box 6A, Bullock	Lawrence E. Davis, Rt. 2, Virgilina, Va.	149
150	Pee Dee (28)	Norwood	1 and 3 Thursday	Joseph C. Guffy, Box 55	William R. Lisk, R.F.D. 1	150
151	Sanford (25)	Sanford	2 and 4 Tuesday	William B. Burroughs, Box 583	Dan W. Gift, 500 Greensboro Ave.	151
154	Scotch Ireland (37)	Cleveland	2 and 4 Tuesday	Theodore S. Hall, Rt. 1, Mt. Ulla	Frank L. Walker, 921 Salisbury Rd., Statesville	154
155	White Stone (22)	Wakefield*	4 Sat. Noon and 2 Wednesday	William C. Farrington, Rt. 4, Zebulon	LeRoy J. Hicks Rt. 3, Zebulon	155
158	Knap of Reeds (31)	Bahama	1 and 3 Wednesday	Chas. M. Ladd, Rt. 2, Box 276, Durham	C. Bronson Crabtree, Rt. 1	158

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162	Yadkin (46)	Yadkinville	1 and 3 Monday	Grady M. Mackie, Box 155	Woodrow W. Dixon, Sr., Rt. 2, East Bend	162
165	Archer (15)	Clayton, RFD	1 Sat. and 3 Mon.	J. Kessler Eason, 217 W. Stallings St.	Chas. H. Corbett, Rt. 1, Wendell	165
167	Winston (35)	Winston-Salem	2 Monday	Jack F. May, Box 1221	James E. Spainhour, 3014 Konnoak Dr.	167
170	Blackmer (53)	Weaverville	1 Tuesday	Alvah Crowder, 9 Winnfred Ave., West Asheville	Francis E. Smith, 29 Forestdale Dr., Asheville	170
171	Colerain (2)	Colerain	1 and 3 Thursday	Robert S. Holley, Box 134	Franklin S. Harrell, RFD 1, Merry Hill	171
172	Buffalo (25)	Sanford	1 and 3 Monday	James C. Gaines, 322 Hickory Ave.	Robert V. Southhard, Rt. 6	172
174	Geo. Washington (24)	Apex, Rt. 1	1 Thursday	Trubie D. Thrailkill, Rt. 2	Earl F. Parker, Rt. 1, Pittsboro	174
176	Mecklenburg (39)	Davidson	1 and 3 Tuesday	Walter S. Henderson, Box 253	William B. Mayhew, Box 14	176
181	Carthage (25)	Carthage	1 and 3 Tuesday	W. B. Davis, Box 395	Harry N. Scott, Rt. 3	181
187	Central Cross (18)	Spring Hope, Rt. 2	1 and 3 Thursday	J. Onnie Bowden, Rt. 2	Otway B. Moss, Jr., Box 1	187
188	Balfour (29)	Asheboro	1 and 3 Monday 3 Mon., Jul., Aug.	Fred Lane, Box 775	Howard C. Swink, 231 Tremont Dr.	188
190	Fair Bluff (11)	Fair Bluff	2 Thursday	Roscoe Enzor, Rt. 1	Wilton A. Thigpen, Box 364	190
191	Granite (15)	Clayton	2 and 4 Tuesday	Danford E. Raynor, Oneil St.	James W. Stephenson, Rt. 1, Box 354	191
198	Cary (23)	Cary	1 and 3 Monday	Robert G. Setzer, Box 163	William N. Hilliard, 3406 Bradley Place, Raleigh	198
202	Cleveland (43)	Shelby	1 Friday	Russell G. Laughridge, Box 247	Alvin E. Hoffman, 603 Grover St.	202
203	Roanoke (20)	Weldon	2 Monday	U. Bixby Pierce, 807 Maple St.	John W. Riddle, Jr., 805 Maple St.	203
205	Long Creek (39)	Huntersville	2 Monday	Henry H. Plummer, Rt. 9, Box 342A, Charlotte (8)	Willis A. Goodrum, 3630 Enfield Rd., Charlotte	205
206	Mingo (14)	Dunn, RFD	1 and 3 Friday	Ottis Carroll, Rt. 1	Onslow K. Gainey, Rt. 1	206
207	Lebanon (11)	Whiteville	1 Tuesday	Oscar Hattiway, 320 W. College St.	Garland E. Weaver, 701 S. Madison St.	207
208	Mount Olive (16)	Mount Olive	1 and 3 Tuesday	Paul R. Patten, 109 N. Breazeale Ave.	Alger E. Outlaw, 62 W. Main St.	208
210	Eno (31)	Durham	1 and 3 Tuesday	E. Holland Shoaf, 203 Hammond St.	Louis M. Bryan, 3416 S. Alston Ave.	210
214	Thomasville (36)	Thomasville	1 and 3 Friday	Thomas M. Honeycutt, Box 904	Warren H. Parrish, 513 Duke St.	214
217	Catawba Valley (44)	Morganton	2 Thursday	Edward M. Hairfield, Box 793	Eubert D. Setzer, 314 Bouchelle St.	217
218	William G. Hill (23)	Raleigh	2 and 4 Monday	R. Gage Smith, Box 654	Wm. L. McCanless, 209 E. Morgan St.	218
226	Wilson (45)	Olin	2 and 4 Saturday	David E. White, Sr., Rt. 2, Statesville	Bristol C. Robertson, Rt. 5, Statesville	226
229	Henderson (21)	Henderson	1 and 3 Tuesday	Charles E. Crawley, Box 709	Nathaniel Q. Faulkner, Box 283	229
230	Corinthian (18)	Rocky Mount	2 and 4 Thursday	Daniel E. Pitt, 1412 Eastern Ave.	David B. Heath, 326 S. George St.	230
231	William T. Bain (23)	Raleigh, Rt. 3	1 Wednesday	Danny M. Blalock, 1323 Courtland Dr.	Joseph G. Carroll, Rt. 3	231
233	Lenoir (6)	La Grange	1 and 3 Thursday	Clifton R. Sutton, Jr., Rt. 3, Box 144	William P. Emerson, Rt. 1, Box 37A	233
237	Mystic Tie (52)	Marion	1 and 3 Friday	Howard W. Gouge, 119 S. Main St.	S. B. Hildebrand, Box 407	237
240	Wiccacon (2)	Harrellsville	2 and 4 Thursday	C. E. Joyner, Jr., Star Rt., Colerain	Richard O. Liverman, R.F.D., Cofield	240
243	Grifton (5)	Grifton	1 and 3 Wednesday	Joseph W. Gilbert, Rt. 2, Box 104	Eugene P. Fleming, Rt. 1, Forrest Acres, Grifton	243
244	Monroe (27)	Monroe	1 and 3 Thursday	Alfred H. Rush, Box 207	Allen B. Keziah, 410 Roosevelt Blvd.	244

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248	Catawba (44)	Newton	1 and 3 Friday	William O. Richards, Box 722	Jack D. Campbell, Rt. 1, Box 471	248
249	Pythagoras (10)	Southport	3 Tuesday	James R. Hood, Sr., 807 E. Nash St.	Oscar L. Williams, R.F.D., Box 209	249
253	Lee (45)	Taylorsville	2 and 4 Monday	Walter W. Harrington, Box 424	Carroll E. Laws, Rt. 4	253
257	Kenly (15)	Kenly	1 and 3 Tuesday	H. Elwin Watson, Box 686	William J. Knight, Rt. 1	257
258	Fuquay (24)	Fuquay Springs	1 and 3 Tuesday	Daniel Brisson, 309 Woodland Drive	Fred C. Wagstaff, 601 E. Vance St.	258
259	Waynesville (56)	Waynesville	1 Friday	James L. Carwile, Box 410	R. C. Graybeal, Box 173, Hazelwood	259
261	Excelsior (40)	Charlotte	1 Monday	Glenn Connell, Box 761	H. E. Blackmon, 1932 Cliffwood Place	261
262	Hibriten (44)	Lenoir	1 Thursday	Roger H. Robbins, Box 166	J. Talmadge Ennis, Box 561	262
263	Gaston (42)	Dallas	2 Monday	Clyde D. Stowe, Jr., Box 221	L. C. Carpenter, 703 N. Oakland St.	263
265	Farmington (46)	Farmington	2 Friday	F. E. Williard, Jr., Rt. 1, Advance	John C. Hartman, Rt. 2, Mocksville	265
267	Dunn's Rock (55)	Brevard	2 and 4 Thursday	Henry R. Henderson, Box 563	Harvey L. Souther, Rt. 1	267
271	Tabasco (30)	Gibsonville	1 and 3 Tuesday	W. C. Needham, Box 878	Edward R. Gerringer, Sr., Box 94	271
272	Bingham (30)	Mebane	1 and 3 Monday	Thomas M. Lynch, Rt. 3	George L. Bradley, 207 E. Green St.	272
276	Beaver Dam (27)	Marshville	2 Tuesday	Henry C. Haney, Rt. 3	William D. Griffin, Jr., Box 398	276
277	Green Level (24)	Apex, Rt. 3	1 Saturday	W. Earl Scott, Rt. 3	John C. Scott, Jr., Rt. 2	277
279	Rehoboth (9)	Rosehill	1 and 3 Monday	William T. Blanchard, Rt. 2	Noland R. Mattocks, Box 157	279
282	Wake Forest (22)	Wake Forest	2 and 4 Tuesday 4 Tues., Dec.	Roy T. Powell, 315 N. College St.	Frank Bailey, E. Waite St.	282
283	Eureka (37)	China Grove	1 and 3 Monday	Robert J. Davis, 404 Chapel St.	William L. Eagle, Rt. 3, Box 50	283
284	Greenville (5)	Greenville	1 and 3 Monday	Edward D. Austin, Box 349	Charles G. Clark, 2305 Jefferson Drive	284
289	Salem (35)	Winston-Salem	1 Tuesday	William J. Crews, Box 1917	Henry F. Craver, 2009 Sussex Lane	289
292	French Broad (53)	Marshall	1 Monday	Elbert N. Ward, Box 207	Chauncey Metcalf, Rt. 2	292
293	Vance (53)	Stocksville	2 Saturday	Fred B. Jarvis, Box 231, Weaverville	C. B. Wilde, Rt. 3, Box 325, Weaverville	293
294	Atlantic (4)	Swanquarter	1 and 3 Thursday	Joseph C. Williams, Jr., Box 244	Walter J. Lupton, Box 87	294
296	Stonewall (5)	Robersonville	1 and 3 Monday	Leonard R. Andrews, Box 504	James C. Allen, Box 486	296
299	Harmony (45)	Harmony	2 and 4 Monday	R. B. Moore, 727 Georgia Av., Statesville	Jerry G. Reavis, Box 24	299
300	Aurora (4)	Aurora	2 and 4 Monday	Charles A. Litchfield, Box 121	Frank C. Stilley, Edward	300
301	Clay (58)	Hayesville	2 Saturday	Andrew F. Padgett, Rt. 2	Early L. Swanson	301
302	Lillington (13)	Lillington	2 and 4 Monday	Leo C. Kelly, Jr., Box 995	Charles L. Neal, Box 696	302
304	Pleasant Hill (6)	Pink Hill	2 and 4 Thursday	J. Earl Howard, Box 6	John R. Davenport, Jr., Rt.2, Deep Run	304
305	Laurinburg (26)	Laurinburg	1 Tuesday	Robert E. Yongue, Jr., Box 1615	Roger M. Harris, Box 324, Gibson	305
306	Raeford (26)	Raeford	2 and 4 Tuesday	P. B. Livingston, 420 E. Donaldson Ave.	Martin L. Webb, 356 S. Main St.	306
314	New Lebanon (1)	South Mills	1 Friday	Robert F. Spence, Rt. 3, Box 464, Elizabeth City	Henry W. Eason	314
317	Eureka (1)	Elizabeth City	Every Tuesday 1 Tues., June-Aug.	Wilbourne M. Smith, Box 386	Samuel R. Moore, Jr., Box 521	317
319	Wilmington (10)	Wilmington	3 Tuesday	Haywood S. King, 114 S. 5th Ave.	Jonathan W. Williams, 2321 Shirley Rd.	319
320	Selma (15)	Selma	1 and 3 Tuesday	Raleigh H. Griffin, Box 177	Willard B. Johnson	320
322	Granite (47)	Mount Airy	3 Tuesday	J. Carroll Hill, Box 70	Malcolm H. Cagle, 844 North Main St.	322
328	Mattamuskeet (3)	Engelhard	2 and 4 Wednesday	Cecil R. Silverthorne, R.F.D. Box 54	Edmond O. Mason	328
331	Bayboro (7)	Bayboro	1 and 3 Tuesday	Delbert D. Morrow, Box 55, Stonewall	Roy R. Ludvigsen, Rt. 1, Box 290, New Bern	331
339	Fairview (43)	Kings Mountain	2 Monday	Thomas D. Tindall, Box 1	Carl M. Logan, Rt. 3, Box 362	339
340	Harmony (16)	Pikeville	2 and 4 Thursday	Claude S. Hinnant, Rt. 2, Box 359	Andrew I. Rowe, Rt. 2, Box 14	340

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343	Hickory (44)	Hickory	1 and 3 Monday June 24, Dec. 27	Elmer L. Broyles, Box 451	Arlie R. Eggers, 331 19th St., N. W.	343
344	Numa F. Reid (36)	High Point	2 Monday	Edward G. Updegrove, Box 749	A. J. Bodenheimer, 1814 Allegheny St.	344
348	Stanly (28)	Albemarle	1 and 3 Friday	L. Roy Whitley, 1202 W. Main St.	Aubrey M. Chandler, Rt. 2, Box 4	348
352	Durham (31)	Durham	2 and 4 Tuesday 2 Tues., in Dec.	Marvin H. Dawson, Box 1649	Clyde W. Swain, 2204 Englewood Ave.	352
356	Fallston (43)	Fallston	2 Monday	Boyce C. Turner, Jr., Rt. 3, Lawndale	B. Bernard Elliott, Box 298	356
357	Bakersville (51)	Bakersville	1 and 3 Thursday	George W. Conrad, Box 67	Brown M. Ferguson, Box 84	357
358	East LaPorte (57)	East Laport	2 and 4 Saturday	J. C. Smith, Tuckaseegee Rt., Cullowhee	John W. Smith, Cullowhee	358
359	Mount Vernon (7)	Oriental	1 and 3 Fri.	Vaughn T. Hill, Sr., Rt. 1, Box 178	Robert W. Day, Rt. 1, Box 179, Merritt	359
363	Snow (49)	Boone	1 and 3 Monday	I. W. Carpenter, Jr., 103 Reynolds Rd.	James C. Greene, Jr., 1109 E. King St.	363
369	Gastonia (42)	Gastonia	2 Friday	Albert R. Rankin, Box 326	Thomas C. Yates, 1118 E. Park Dr.	369
373	Ashler (49)	Deep Gap	2 Friday	Robert L. White, 1704 E. King St., Boone	J. S. McGuire, 1905 Hilltop Dr., Boone	373
374	Campbell (45)	Troutman	2 and 4 Thursday	Harold S. Kyles, Box 92	Arthur M. Rogers, Box 332	374
375	State Line (43)	Grover	2 Tuesday	Robert E. Hambright, Jr., Box H	Harry L. Beam, Rt. 1	375
377	Youngsville (21)	Youngsville	1 and 3 Thursday	James E. Smith, Box 187	John H. Parrish, Box 172	377
378	Seaboard (19)	Seaboard	1 Monday	Lester S. Ford, Jr., Box 338	John P. Spencer	378
379	Coharie (14)	Salemburg	2 and 4 Thursday	Edwin C. Howard, Rt. 1	W. N. Tyndall, Rt. 2, Box 87, Roseboro	379
380	Granville (22)	Wake Forest Rt. 3	4 Saturday	J. E. Davis, Rt. 1, Box 27, Youngsville	James L. Catlett, Rt. 1, Franklinton	380
381	Forest City (52)	Forest City	2 and 4 Tuesday	Herbert L. Downey, 800 S. Broadway St.	F. Howard Lowdermilk, Rt. 3	381
384	Jefferson Penn (33)	Reidsville	1 and 3 Tuesday	Guy M. McWhorter, 401 Wentworth St.	William D. Herndon, Box 932	384
386	Pigeon River (56)	Canton	2 Thursday	Edward W. Bell, Box 229	Clarence W. Burrell, Box 942	386
387	Kedron (55)	Hendersonville	2 and 4 Thursday	Daniel B. Hart, Box 300	William G. Dellinger, 807 Maybank Dr.	387
388	Mooresboro (43)	Mooresboro	2 Friday	Marion M. Packard, Box 98	Robert W. Forbes, Rt. 1	388
390	Copeland (47)	Copeland *	2 Thursday, Dec. 27	Jobie M. Hardy, Siloam	C. R. Sawyers, Rt. 8, Box 726, Mt. Airy	390
391	Lebanon (13)	Hope Mills	1 and 3 Thursday	Charles E. Priest, Box 366	Ronald W. Loftis, 707 South Main St.	391
393	Tally Ho (32)	Stem	1 and 3 Tuesday	Nelson T. Williams, Rt. 1	Cecil B. Watkins, Box 52	393
395	Orient (10)	Wilmington	1 Thursday	Cecil W. Henderson, 20 N. 23rd. St.	Richard J. Bryant, II, Rt. 1, Hampstead	395
397	Bald Creek (53)	Swiss	3 Saturday	Everett A. Robinson, Rt. 2, Mars Hill	John N. Hutchins, Mars Hill	397
401	Joppa (52)	Old Fort	2 and 4 Friday	Carroll A. Stevens, Rt. 2, Box 236	Jimmie R. Harris, Box 417	401
403	Siler City (25)	Siler City	1 and 3 Thursday	Billy D. Brady, 810 W. 5th St.	Jerry L. Fields, R.F.D. 2	403
404	Denton (36)	Denton	1 and 3 Friday	Ned B. Allen, Rt. 1, Box 156	Arlie C. Daniels, Rt. 3, Box 171	404
405	Ocean (8)	Morehead City	2 and 4 Tuesday	James I. Wade, Box 966	Bedford C. Dowty, Box 387	405
407	No. Wilkesboro (48)	North Wilkesboro	2 Monday	Homer L. Huffman, Box 948	Carl W. Steele, Box 592	407
408	University (31)	Chapel Hill	1 and 3 Monday	John A. Oldham, Rt. 3	William R. Bibb, Box 211	408
409	Bula (30)	Burlington	2 and 4 Monday 2 Mon., in Dec.	William N. Stansell, 232 Highland Ave.	Oakley G. Hughett, 2727 Cathrine Dr.	409
411	Bailey (17)	Bailey	2 and 4 Monday	J. Willis Finch, Box 142	Jack D. Farmer, Box 165	411
412	Henry F. Grainger (32)	Oxford, Rt. 5	2 Saturday	Carlton P. O'Brien, Rt. 5	Clyde A. Pleasants, Rt. 5	412

413 Louisburg (21)	Louisburg	2 and 4 Tuesday	James A. Johnson, 220 N. Bickett Blvd.	T. S. Johnson, Box 427, Franklinton 413
417 Maxton (12)	Maxton	1 Monday	Paul S. Steed, Jr., Rt. 1	Robert C. Batten, Box 111 417
418 Potecasi (19)	Potecasi	1 and 3 Thursday June 24, Dec. 27	Harry W. Panton, Box 478, Milwaukee	Bealie J. Martin, Jr., Rt. 1, Conway 418
420 Harmon (46)	Yadkinville, Rt.3	1 and 3 Saturday	J. D. Houston Shore, Rt. 2	Cletus H. Ratledge, Rt. 5, Mocksville 420
423 Sparta (49)	Sparta	1 and 3 Thursday	Isom W. Wagoner, Box 324	Ira R. Truitt, Box 345 423
426 Montgomery (58)	Ranger	2 Saturday	W. Harvey Stiles, Rt. 4, Box 76, Murphy	W. D. Allen, 219 Hilton St., Murphy 426
427 Oconee (57)	Bryson City	1 and 3 Monday	James C. Long	Clyde T. Bates 427
428 Stokesdale (34)	Stokesdale	1 and 3 Tuesday	Wm. H. Simpson, 1231 West Ridge Rd. Greensboro	Jay M. Martin, Stokesdale 428
429 Seaside (8)	Swansboro	1 Fri. and 3 Sat.	Victor Yeck, Rt. 1, Box 83	Milton L. Hood 429
431 Relief (15)	Benson	2 and 4 Tuesday	Julian Godwin, Box 115	George R. Ellis, Macon Hotel 431
432 Piney Creek (49)	Piney Creek	2 and 4 Friday	Fletcher H. Spry, Rt. 3, Sparta	Sidney W. Sturgill 432
433 Vanceboro (7)	Vanceboro	2 and 4 Wednesday	Dannie M. Whitford, Rt. 2, Box 91	William T. Garris, Rt. 1 433
434 West Bend (46)	Lewisville	1 and 3 Friday	Charles M. Lasley, Rt. 1	John E. Smith, Rt. 1 434
435 Blue Ridge (57)	Highlands	1 and 3 Friday	Henry A. Cleaveland, Box 151	Thomas L. Creswell, Box 516 435
437 Biscoe (28)	Biscoe	2 and last Friday	Neill W. Freeman, Box 172	John F. Allen, Box 8 437
439 Marble Springs (58)	Marble	1 Saturday	J. Vernon Bryson, Box 165	Walter T. Palmer, Box 81 439
444 Marietta (29)	Ramseur	2 Friday	David M. Webb, Box 57	Gordan L. Brady, Sr., Box 48 444
446 Biltmore (54)	Asheville	Every Tuesday	C. E. Greene, 15 Ardmore St., Biltmore	William R. Cordell, 95 Liberty St., Biltmore 446
447 Enfield (20)	Enfield	1 and 3 Monday	Harold S. Vick, 415 Branch St.	Howard A. Gray, The Pines, Enfield 447
453 Clyde (56)	Clyde	2 Tuesday	Larry H. Cagle, Box 216	A. L. Stamey, Box 86, Lake Junaluska 453
454 Elkin (47)	Elkin	2 and 4 Tuesday	Ransome E. Smith, Box 477	Dr. L. D. Pruett, Box 46 454
459 Dillsboro (57)	Sylva	1 and 3 Thursday	James E. Buckner, Box 396	Robert L. Higdon, 43 Sunrise Park 459
460 Cliffside (52)	Cliffside	2 and 4 Monday	Robert E. Whitaker, Box 261	Jack D. Norman, Box 486 460
461 Matthews (39)	Matthews	2 and 4 Thursday	James W. Russell, Box 234	Wm. F. Hunter, 1310 Burtonwood Cir. Charlotte 461
462 South Fork (41)	Cramerton	2 and 4 Tuesday 2 Tues., June-Aug.	Melvin D. Rabb, 199 Front St.	Joel M. McCurley, Box 754 462
463 Currituck (1)	Coinjock	2 Monday	George G. Jones, Rt. 1, Moyock	Murray E. Elliott, Aydlett 463
471 Grassy Knob (45)	Union Grove	4 Friday	Edwin O. Souther, Box 40, Cycle	G. G. Millsaps, Box 301, Taylorsville 471
472 Sonoma (56)	Canton, Rt. 2	1 Thursday	Harley V. Mann, Jr., Rt. 2, Box 230	Paul M. Stiles, Rt. 5, c/o Knox Trailer Park, Asheville 472
473 Lexington (36)	Lexington	2 and 4 Thursday	Wm. H. Fulbright, 104 Willowbrook Cir.	Harold W. Bowen, Box 828 473
474 St. Pauls (12)	St. Pauls	1 Tuesday	Jerry B. Willis, 51 Old Stage Rd.	John E. Barkley, 509 W. Shaw St. 474
475 Grimesland (5)	Grimesland	1 Tuesday	George C. Elks, Box 6	J. T. McDonald, Jr., Box 188, Simpson 475
479 Rainbow (7)	Arapahoe	2 and 4 Monday	C. Caraway, Rt. 1, Box 172, Merritt	George R. Harper, Jr., Box 284 479
482 Saluda (55)	Saluda	1 and 3 Thursday	J. T. Coates,Jr., Bx.97,Estes Hill,Saluda	James F. Nix, Rt. 1, Flat Rock 482
483 Traphill (48)	Traphill	1 and 3 Tuesday	John W. Bryan, Sr.	John W. Bryan, Jr. 483
484 Southern Pines (26)	Southern Pines	1 and 3 Monday	Lloyd L. Woolley, Box 748	Stanley T. Dunn, 400 Youngs Rd. 484
486 Lawndale (43)	Lawndale	2 Friday	Thomas B. Hord, Jr., Box 338	Forrest A. Davis, Box 181 486
488 Rich Square (19)	Rich Square	2 and 4 Thursday	Roy T. Joyner, RFD 1	Joseph F. Cole, Pine St. 488
489 Linville (51)	Newland	2 and 4 Thursday	Lloyd W. Sudderth, Montezuma	William P. Wakefield, Pineola 489

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NO.	NUMBER, NAME DISTRICT	POST OFFICE	STATED COMMUNICATION	SECRETARY And ADDRESS	MASTER And ADDRESS	NO.
491	Hominy (54)	Candler	2 Tuesday	William F. Childs, Box 127	Taft S. Coward, Jr., Rt. 2	491
492	Thomas M.Holt (30)	Graham	1 and 3 Friday	Charles A. Cates, 523 Parker St.	Ronald W. Nash, Box 409	492
493	Pilot (47)	Pilot Mountain	2 and 4 Monday	C. E. Parker, Rt. 2, Box 72, Westfield	Rev. Henry T. Ridenhour, Box 364	493
495	Rockingham (26)	Rockingham	1 and 3 Monday	D. W. Coleman, 225 E. Washington St.	Charles G. Monroe, Rt. 2, Box 74	495
496	Mooresville (45)	Mooresville	2 and 4 Tuesday	Paul E. Cook, 521 E. Iredell Ave.	William C. Sprinkle, 330 S. Main St.	496
497	Royal Hart (20)	Littleton	2 and 4 Monday	Tyree J. Callihan, Box 107, Vaughan	Claude A. Wilson, Box 291	497
498	Ayden (5)	Ayden	3 Tuesday	William B. Phillips, Box 212	J. Wilner Heuay, 610 S. Lee St.	498
499	Creedmoor (32)	Creedmoor	2 and 4 Monday	Robert C. Sandling, Jr., Rt. 1, Box 202, Wake Forest	Emmett M. Perry, Box 71, Northside	499
500	Raleigh (23)	Raleigh	3 Tuesday	Craven E. Harrington, Box 8044	James S. Johnson, Jr., Box 11274	500
501	Red Springs (12)	Red Springs	2 and 4 Thursday	Riley P. Crawford, 114 W. McNeill Dr.	Dennis C. Hagen, Box 624	501
502	Cookville (44)	Near Henry*	1 Tuesday	Harold V. Huffman, Rt. 1, Box 273	Earl Johnson, Rt. 3, Box 22, Vale	502
505	Cherryville (42)	Cherryville	1 Monday	R. Hoke Shuford, 504 E. 1st. St.	Graham R. Beam, 510 S. Elm St.	505
509	Belhaven (4)	Belhaven	2 and 4 Tuesday	G. Archie Thomas, Box 11	Charles E. Midgette	509
515	Whetstone (42)	Bessemer City	4 Tuesday	Ralph H. Scarboro, Box 312	Marvin O. Penner, Rt. 1, Box 35	515
516	Aulander (2)	Aulander	1 and 3 Thursday	John A. Nowell, Box 64	Francis B. Minton, Box 342	516
517	Farmville (5)	Farmville	2 and 4 Thursday	John E. King, Box 253	J. Pennell Burnette, RFD 2	517
519	Widow's Son (20)	Roanoke Rapids	2 and 4 Thursday	A. L. Robinson, 1420 E. Chaloner Dr.	Charles E. Eldridge, 49 Vance St.	519
520	Fairfield (4)	Fairfield	1 and 3 Tuesday	Guy R. Cutrell, Box 22	Lindsey G. Mooney	520
521	Manteo (3)	Manteo	2 and 4 Monday	Ervin G. Hines, Box 224	Ephey B. Priest, Box 52	521
524	Pendleton (19)	Pendleton	2 and 4 Tuesday	Lawrence W. Ricks, Conway	Norris L. DeLoatche, Conway	524
525	Rodgers (17)	Middlesex	2 and 4 Monday	Otho R. Holland, Box 164	Henry L. Manning, Drawer B	525
527	Lucama (17)	Lucama	2 and 4 Thursday	T. Wathew Woodard, Box 144	B. L. Glover, 815 Belmont Ave., Wilson	527
528	Fairmont (12)	Fairmont	1 Monday	Patrick H. Wright, Box 16, Proctorville	Ed H. McKennon, Box 184, Rowland	528
529	Andrews (58)	Andrews	1 Monday	Clyde Rector, Box 274	Norman M. Hartman, Box 443	529
530	Joppa (40)	Charlotte	1 Friday	A. Crawford Moore, Jr., Box 534 (1)	Clyde W. Grimes, Jr., 122 Sharon-Amith Rd. South	530
532	Hamlet (26)	Hamlet	2 and 4 Thursday	Len W. Spencer, Box 85	Talmage E. Wooten, 511 Hamlet Ave.	532
534	Camp Call (43)	Shelby, Rt. 5	3 Saturday	Lawrence A. Shuford, Rt. 1, Lawndale	Anderson B. Greene, Rt. 3, Box 463	534
535	Hollis (52)	Hollis	4 Saturday	Jennings L. Padgett, Rt. 1, Bostic	Fay Robertson, Box 67, Bostic	535
538	Williams (39)	Cornelius	2 and 4 Thursday	Daniel T. Ewart, Box 323	J. H. Washam, Rt. 1, Box 50, Davidson	538
542	Corinthian (34)	Greensboro	2 and 4 Monday	Edward O. Rider, Box 1943	Rudolph A. Berry, 1310 Northfield St.	542
543	Spencer (37)	Spencer	2 and 4 Tuesday	Luther E. Burch, Box 51	Clarence F. Young, Rt. 1, Salisbury	543
544	Mount Holly (41)	Mount Holly	1 and 3 Monday	Buford T. Barker, Rt. 1, Box 198	Wilton L. Hipp, 6300 Shore Line Dr. (8)	544
550	Roman Eagle (26)	Aberdeen	1 and 3 Thursday	Ralph H. Chapman, Box 395	C. C. Thompson, Box 2, Pinebluff	550
551	Glenville (57)	Glenville	2 Saturday	T. Franklin Fowler	Clayborn Bryson	551
552	Revolution (34)	Greensboro	1 and 3 Thursday	David C. Ferrell, 407 S. Chapman St.	George R. Shirley, 1410 Belleve St.	552
554	Vesper (51)	Spruce Pine	1 and 3 Thursday	Bobby G. Beam, Rt. 3, Newland	Robert T. Curtis, 504 Highland Ave.	554

555	Elise (25)	Robbins	1 and 3 Tuesday	Hugh L. McLaurin, Box 457	James J. Cook, Box 236	555
556	Neill S. Stewart (13)	Erwin	2 and 4 Tuesday	Ephraim F. Godwin, Box 427	William M. Davis, Box 672	556
558	Ararat (47)	Ararat	2 Friday	Coy L. Armstrong, Rt. 1	Floyd E. Bryant, Gen. Del.	558
561	Swannanoa (54)	Swannanoa	1 Thursday	Homer C. Burleson, Rt. 2, Asheville	H. E. Rodgers, 57 Liberty St., Biltmore	561
562	Waxhaw (27)	Waxhaw	1 Tuesday	James C. Greene, Rt. 3	Clegg W. Vaughn, Box 162	562
563	Tabor (11)	Tabor City	2 Tuesday	Jesse R. Barker, 4th St.	Ambrose V. Elliott, Jr.	563
564	Richlands (8)	Richlands	1 and 3 Thursday	Jacob E. Whaley, Box 64	Ernest W. Morgan, Box 358	564
565	Wendell (22)	Wendell	2 and 4 Tuesday	Hugh T. Moody, Box 422	Oscar G. Spell, Jr., Box 123	565
568	Doric (7)	New Bern	2 and 4 Friday	Alfred H. Bremer, Box 703	William T. Cahoon, Box 2342	568
569	Mount Pleasant (17)	Bailey, Rt.1	2 and 4 Wednesday	Thelbert A. Glover, Rt. 1, Spring Hope	Kermit R. Brantley, Rt. 1	569
571	Snow Creek (45)	Statesville, Rt. 5	2 and 4 Friday	George S. McLelland, 860 Pinewood Circle	Elmer F. Saum, 1480 School Dr., Stony Point	571
573	Mount Pleasant (48)	Champion	3 Saturday	James M. Joines, Wilbar	Charles R. Bishop, Rt. 1, Millers Creek	573
576	Andrew Jackson (37)	Salisbury	Each Thursday	Jasper E. Haynes, Box 497	John P. Miller, 141 McCoy Rd.	576
578	Meadow Branch (27)	Wingate	1 Friday	Jeremiah D. Thomas, Rt. 1	John V. Chaney, Rt. 8, Box 271	578
579	Casar (43)	Casar	1 Thursday	Carmie A. Brackett, Box 83	Hal K. Cooke, 213 Golf St., Forest City	579
583	Ionic (7)	Cove City	2 and 4 Tuesday	R. G. Register, Rt. 2, Box 240, New Bern	Albert A. Salt, Box 216	583
584	Apex (24)	Apex	2 and 4 Monday	Charlie E. Stephens, Box 125	Gerald W. Truelove, Rt. 1, New Hill	584
585	Roseboro (14)	Roseboro	1 and 3 Thursday	R. Paul Blevins, Box 214	Clifton C. Jackson, Rt. 1, Box 51, Autryville	585
589	Bethel (5)	Bethel	1 Mon. and 3 Thurs.	Herbert R. Brown, Box 71	Don C. Carson, Box 191	589
590	Lowell (41)	Lowell	1 and 3 Tuesday	George F. Teague, 2040 Ashton Pl., New Hope Acres, Gastonia	Otis Jones, Jr., 503 Carl St., Gastonia	590
592	Maiden (44)	Maiden	2 Monday	Donald R. Rome, Rt. 2	Pinkney A. Lineberger, Rt. 1	592
593	Stony Point (45)	Stony Point	2 and 4 Tuesday	Artie E. Reynolds, Box 65, Hiddenite	Joe J. Harris, Rt. 2	593
594	Ashe (49)	West Jefferson	2 and 4 Tuesday	J. Harvey Payne	W. Dean McMillan	594
595	Wallace (9)	Wallace	1 and 3 Monday	Thomas C. Townsend, 304 N. College St.	David W. Powell, 212 W. Hall St.	595
596	Waccamaw (11)	Bolton	2 and 4 Monday	James L. Dew, Box 68, Delco	Leroy T. Grice, Sr., Rt. 1, Box 114	596
598	Cranberry (51)	Elk Park	1 and 3 Tuesday	J. E. Heaton, Gen. Del., Minneapolis	Ernest P. Ollis, Minneapolis	598
602	Queen City (18)	Rocky Mount	1 and 3 Thursday	Lawrence E. Pearce, 616 Avondale Ave.	Donald R. Cavanaugh, Box 568	602
605	Jeff L. Nelson (55)	Tryon	2 and 4 Monday	Caton G. Dedmondt, Box 32	Clyde E. Lancaster, 401 Lockhart Rd.	605
606	Riverside (44)	Catawba	2 and 4 Monday	Joe P. Spencer, Box 7	Jasper H. Bissette, Rt. 1, Denver	606
607	Chadbourn (11)	Chadbourn	3 Tuesday	'urthrie T. Bullard, 307 N. Brown St.	Leo Mercer, 115 N. Miller St.	607
609	Zebulon (22)	Zebulon	1 Tuesday	[illegible]. Vance Brown	Bobby H. Perry, Rt. 4	609
612	Atkinson (10)	Atkinson	2 and 4 Monday	Herbert H. Pate, Atkinson St.	Wesley S. Woodcock, Atkinson St.	612
613	Home (16)	Fremont	2 and 4 Monday	Arnold G. Strickland, Box 364	Cecil R. Evans, Rt. 1, Box 304, Kenly	613
616	Round Peak (47)	Mount Airy, Rt. 3	1 Friday	Lester R. Bryant, Rt. 6	Verlen C. Clifton, 273 Herring St.	616
617	St. Patrick's (15)	Princeton	1 and 3 Wednesday	Julian S. Massey, Box 204	Delton M. Toler, Rt. 1	617
618	Union (38)	Midland	2 Saturday	Joe E. Jenkins, Rt 2, Stanfield	Ephriam C. Shinn, Rt. 2, Stanfield	618
624	John H. Mills (21)	Epsom*	2 and 4 Thursday	Wallace A. Duke, Rt. 1, Henderson	Allie N. Stegall, Rt. 1, Henderson	624
626	Cannon Memorial (38)	Kannapolis	1 and 3 Tuesday	John Q. Benton, Box 683	Ralph T. Dickson, Rt. 4, Box 723	626
627	Belmont (41)	Belmont	2 and 4 Monday	Walter T. Warren, 409 N. Central Ave.	G. W. Hogsed, 312 McAdenville Rd.	627
629	Walnut Cove (33)	Walnut Cove	1 Tues. and 3 Sat.	D. G. Shropshire, Box 11, Rural Hall	Chester W. Southern	629
630	FrancisS.Packard(21)	Norlina	2 and 4 Thursday	Harry W. Walker, Box 307	Charles L. Wilson, Box 241	630

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634	Goldsboro (16)	Goldsboro	2 and 4 Monday	J. M. Southerland, 1408 E. Maple St.	Anthony F. Best, 703 Pittman St.	634
637	Yadkin Falls (28)	Badin	1 and 3 Monday	Aaron J. Rice, Box 601	Mahon C. Flake, Box 825	637
643	Proctorville (12)	Proctorville	2 Monday	Henry H. Atkinson, Box 52	Arren Ivey, Jr., 512 French Ave., Lumberton	643
646	Bladen (11)	Elizabethtown	2 and 4 Monday	Raymond W. Biglow, Box 926	Edd Nye, Box 8	646
650	John A. Nichols (54)	Asheville	2 Thursday	Herbert W. Kissinger, Box 1844	Robert S. Hubbs, Box 1303	650
654	Elberta (26)	West End	Tuesday after 1 and 3 Sunday	B. A. Cox. Sr., Box 161, Ellerbe	William M. Thompson, Rt. 1, Jackson Springs	654
656	Guilford (34)	Greensboro	1 and 3 Monday	G. Worth Covington, Box 656	Harold E. Hartley, 202 Crestwood Dr.	656
657	Keller Memorial (37)	Rockwell	2 and 4 Monday	Francis G. Misenheimer, Box 204, Faith	Ervin W. McCulloch, Gen. Del., Gold Hill	657
658	Beulaville (9)	Beulaville	1 and 3 Tuesday	Amos W. Gresham, Box 164	Percey E. Thigpen, Jr., Rt. 2	658
663	Black Mountain (54)	Black Mountain	1 Friday	Wade Morrow, Box 663	Thomas V. Marett, Box 91	663
664	Garland (14)	Garland	2 and 4 Monday	A. Edmond Carter, Rt. 2	William D. Carter, Box 96	664
665	West Asheville (54)	Asheville	1 and 3 Monday	Dan S. Judd, Box 6086	Joe H. Roberts, 15 Evergreen Ave.	665
667	Fort Bragg (13)	Fort Bragg	1 Tuesday	Horace W. Ziglar, 310 Lake Ave. Spring Lake	William C. Hammond, Jr., 1107 N. Elm St., Lumberton	667
668	Holland Memor'l (42)	Gastonia	2 Thursday	John D. Howe, 910 Dogwood Drive	Clinton Crisp, 1416 W. Walnut St.	668
669	Kernersville (35)	Kernersville	1 Monday	Clyde E. Laster, Rt. 1, Box 82	Joseph F. McKnight, Jr., Rt. 3	669
670	Lovelady (44)	Valdese	2 Monday	C. Lee Duncan, Rt. 2, Box 135	Edward Pons, 660 Pons St.	670
672	Robbinsville (58)	Robbinsville	2 Tuesday	Orville W. Hooper, Jr., Box 337	Burl L. Orr	672
673	Spindale (52)	Spindale	2 and 4 Tuesday	Robert B. Massey, Rt. 1, Rutherfordton	Donald L. Lyle, Box 282	673
674	Acacia (36)	High Point	1 Thursday	James D. McCrery, Box 335	William C. Hilton, 627 Quaker Lane	674
675	Washington (4)	Washington	1 and 3 Monday	W. E. Thornton, Box 6	Carlos M. Jackson, Rt. 1, Pinetown	675
676	Temple (40)	Charlotte	2 Thursday	Louis E. Lamkin, Box 82 (1)	John W. Tanzy, 4304 Wilkinson Blvd.	676
677	Warsaw (9)	Warsaw	2 and 4 Tuesday	Quincy J. Sutton, Sr., Box 307	Joseph L. Costin	677
678	Providence (3)	Columbia	1 and 3 Wednesday	Lloyd B. Davenport, Box 24	Melvin J. Furlough, Rt. 1	678
679	Creasy Proctor (13)	Fayetteville	2 Tuesday	James H. Horne, Box 173	James P. Perry, 221 Oak St.	679
680	Semper Fidelis (8)	Jacksonville	2 and 4 Wednesday	Tony R. Dedmond, Box 1137	Gilbert E. Thursby, 1318 Davis St.	680
681	Piedmont (36)	High Point	2 Friday	Woodroe F. Haywood, Box 1288	George O. Collins, 703 Huntington Dr.	681
683	Rolesville (22)	Rolesville	1 and 3 Thursday	M. E. Jones, 3406 Buffaloe Rd., Raleigh	Douglas M. Wall, Rt. 1, Box 324, Youngsville	683
684	Ahoskie (2)	Ahoskie	1 and 3 Thursday	Richard V. Harris, 218 McGlohon St.	Tommy T. Morris, 917 Pembroke Ave.	684
685	Pioneer (35)	Winston-Salem	1 Wednesday	A. Edward Fey, 338 Miller St.	Rudolph J. Polivka, 4201 Alonzo Dr.	685
686	Angier (24)	Angier	2 and 4 Tuesday	Laucy E. Johnson, Box 83	John H. Gwaltney, Box 398	686
687	Fellowship (31)	Durham	2 and 4 Tuesday	J. Ray Rex, Box 712	Lucas L. Lee, Jr., 2912 Arnold St.	687
688	Cherry Point (7)	Havelock	1 and 3 Thursday	James C. Moore, Box 356	Clifford H. Justice, Box 223	688

689	Scotland Neck (20)	Scotland Neck	1 and 3 Tuesday	Chester A. Elks, Drawer B	W. Henry Lewis, Rt. 1, Palmyra	689
690	Mount Moriah (45)	Statesville	2 and 4 Monday	Ralph M. Sisk, 226 Oakland St.	James C. Warren, Rt. 1, Box 48A	690
691	Renfro (47)	Mount Airy	3 Monday	J. Earl Ramey, Box 865	Tycho H. Wood, 321 Andrews St.	691
692	East Gate (40)	Charlotte	1 Monday	Leighton H. Moore, 1917 Arnold Dr. (5)	W. C. Mahaffey, 1729 Chatham Ave. (5)	692
693	Charles M. Setzer (40)	Charlotte	Every 3 Monday 1 Mon. in Dec.	Lonnie W. Rogers, 916 E. Park Ave. (3)	Paul E. Wyche, 4034 Sherbrooke Dr.	693
694	Gate City (34)	Greensboro	2 and 4 Tuesday	James T. Benjamin, Box 2003	Johnny M. Pardue, 1206 Ruayne Rd.	694
695	Allen-Graham (38)	Kannapolis	1 and 3 Thursday	Luther H. Walker, Box 1132	Robert L. Dancy, Jr., Box 1124	695
696	Memorial (36)	Lexington	1 and 3 Friday	W. Clifford Greer, Box 69	Horace W. Moore, 611 Westside Dr.	696
697	Butner (32)	Butner	2 and 4 Tuesday	John S. Daniel, Box 452	Walter T. Breedlove, Box 522	697
698	Cape Hatteras (3)	Buxton	2 and 4 Monday	W. Lloyd Scarborough, Box 36	Bryan J. Salter	698
699	Asheboro (29)	Asheboro	1 and 3 Thursday	D. F. McQueen, Jr., 120 N. Church St.	Jesse A. Kearns, Box 135	699
700	Friendship (40)	Charlotte	1 Friday	Horace E. Gray, Box 3001 (3)	Gilbert R. Cooper, Rt. 3, Box 397 (3)	700
701	Garner (23)	Garner	2 and 4 Monday	Nick R. Harrison, 110 Johnson St.	James N. Bryan, Creech Rd.	701
702	St. Andrew (40)	Charlotte	1 Wednesday	Leslie J. Williams, Box 1089 (1)	Gayle O. Moore, 5831 Monroe Rd.	702
703	Albemarle (28)	Albemarle	2 and 4 Monday	John A. Lampsi, Rt. 1	Everett G. Beam, 807 E. Main St.	703
704	King Solomon (42)	Gastonia	2 Tuesday	Ralph H. Brafford, 1519 Hargrove Ave.	Seth T. White, Sr., Box 403	704
705	Richard Caswell (6)	Kinston	1 and 3 Tuesday	Ralph D. Dudley, Box 1282	John D. Charlton, 2211 Woodview Rd.	705
706	Newport (8)	Newport	2 and 4 Monday	Russell W. Toop, Rt. 2, Box 339	James W. Smith, Box 425	706
707	Forsyth (35)	Winston-Salem	2 Tuesday	R. O. Nifong, 215 Stanton Dr., N. W.	John R. Bender, 1166 S. Hawthorne Rd.	707
708	Crown Point (5)	Greenville	2 and 4 Thursday	F. Luther Whitehurst, 304 Summit St.	Sam K. Price, 1310 Evergreen Dr.	708
709	Conover (44)	Conover	2 and 4 Thursday	Fred L. Sherrill, Jr., Box 686	Marvin W. McRary, Box 483	709
710	Advance (46)	Advance	1 and 3 Tuesday	Hubert L. Bailey, Rt. 1, Box 13	Ralph C. Ratledge, Rt. 2, Box 156	710
711	Piedmont (35)	Winston-Salem	1 Thursday	Chas. E. Ferguson, 1124 Irving St., S. W.	J. C. Story, Sr., 1821 Fannwood Circle	711
712	Wilson (17)	Wilson	2 and 4 Tuesday	Charles C. Burriss, 1609 W. Kenan St.	Joseph I. Joyner, Box 425	712
713	McLurd (41)	Stanley	3 Monday	Carson W. Mauney, Box 174	C. Clifton Sherrill, Box 365	713
714	Liberty (29)	Liberty	2 and 4 Thursday	John W. Ward, Jr., Box 68	Clifton H. Ward, Box 294	714
715	Derita (39)	Derita	1 Friday	R. C. Lawing, Rt. 11, Box 559, Charlotte (6)	Thomas R. Black, Rt. 7, Box 758, Charlotte (6)	715
716	Hiram (36)	High Point	2 Thursday	Fred J. Cox, Jr., Box 1451	D. Boyd Coltrane, Box 822	716
717	Burnsville (53)	Burnsville	3 Thursday	Norman F. Evans, E. Main St.	Edgar B. Hensley, Box 173	717
718	Troy (28)	Troy	2 and 4 Tuesday	James U. Williams, Box 504	Howard D. Britt, Rt. 2, Box 55A	718
719	Horse Creek (55)	Columbus	2 and 4 Thursday	Phillip D. Walker, Box 395	Alvin R. West, Box 243	719
720	Cabarrus (38)	Concord	1 Thursday	E. Carol Caton, Box 1062	Wm. D. Alexander, 611 S. Spring St.	720
721	Burlington (30)	Burlington	1 and 3 Tuesday 1 Tues. in Dec.	Thomas W. Cates, 1517 West Front St.	B. F. Coleman, Jr., 602 Woodbriar Lane	721
722	King (35)	King	3 Thursday	Fred D. Rierson, Rt. 2	John T. Wall, Box 396	722
723	Winton (2)	Winton	2 and 4 Tuesday	T. P. Mathias, Rt. 3, Box 84A, Ahoskie	Charles M. Edwards, Box 175	723
724	Berne (7)	New Bern	1 and 3 Thursday	C. Cyril Edwards, Jr., Box 292	Gene D. Miller, 807 N. Grace Ave.	724
725	Grantham (7)	Granthams, No. 7 Township, New Bern	1 and 3 Friday	John R. Paul, 305 Pine Ridge Ave., New Bern	Albert Gianotti, 1802 Old Cherry Pt. Rd., New Bern	725
726	Keystone (40)	Charlotte	2 Thursday	Benjamin R. Cato, 2032 Greenway Ave.	R. L. Grubb, 1616 Brandon Rd.	726
727	Shallotte (11)	Shallotte	2 and 4 Friday	Clarence M. Russ, Box 176	Daniel C. Russ, Box 176	727

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NO. NUMBER, NAME DISTRICT	POST OFFICE	STATED COMMUNI-CATION	SECRETARY And ADDRESS (Post Office Address of Officers Are Same As That Of Their Lodges, As Shown in Column Two, UNLESS Different Address Is Shown Here.)	MASTER And ADDRESS	NO.
728 Meridian (40)	Charlotte	1 Thursday	C. F. Burchett, 1801 Tippah Ave. (5)	Marshall E. Propst, 516 Rose Garden Terrace (4)	728
729 Twin County (18)	Rocky Mount	2 and 4 Monday	J. Edward Parker, 935 Hill St.	Maurice J. Stokes, 321 Charlotte St.	729
730 Stedman (13)	Stedman	1 and 3 Monday	Jesse W. Hall, Box 46	John R. Bryant, Rt. 1	730
731 John Huske Anderson (13)	Fayetteville	3 Saturday	C. Wallace Jackson, Box 945	June H. Goforth, 307 Country Club Dr.	731
732 Bush Hill (29)	Archdale	2 Tuesday	Henry C. McPherson, Box 4126, High Point	Robert J. Royals, Rt. 2, Box 254, Trinity	732
UD Stump Sound (8)	Sneads Ferry	2 and 4 Friday	Everton N. Lockamy, Jr., Rt. 1, Box 447	David W. Owens, Rt. 1, Box 370	UD

NOTES: 1. A location indicated thus (*) is NOT A Post Office.

2. Addresses of officers same as shown for lodge, UNLESS different address is shown for any officer.

3. Secretary should keep this DIRECTORY on his desk for reference at all times.

ADDRESS THE GRAND SECRETARY: CHARLES A. HARRIS, PGM., GRAND SECRETARY
P.O. Box 6506
RALEIGH, NORTH CAROLINA 27608

LOCATION OF GRAND LODGE BUILDING: 2921 Glenwood Avenue
RALEIGH, NORTH CAROLINA

GRAND SECRETARY'S TELEPHONE NUMBER: 787-2021 (Raleigh, North Carolina)

NORTH CAROLINA LODGES LISTED BY NAME ALPHABETICALLY

NAME	NO.
Acacia	674
Adoniram	149
Advance	710
Ahoskie	684
Albemarle	703
Allen-Graham	695
American George	17
Andrew Jackson	576
Andrews	529
Angier	686
Apex	584
Ararat	558
Archer	165
Ashe	594
Asheboro	699
Ashler	373
Atkinson	612
Atlantic	294
Aulander	516
Aurora	300
Ayden	498
Bailey	411
Bakersville	357
Bald Creek	397
Balfour	188
Bayboro	331
Beaver Dam	276
Belhaven	509
Belmont	627
Berne	724
Bethel	589
Beulaville	658
Biltmore	446
Bingham	272
Biscoe	437
Blackmer	127, 170
Black Mountain	663
Bladen	646
Blue Ridge	435
Buffalo	172
Bula	409
Burlington	721
Burnsville	717
Bush Hill	732
Butner	697
Cabarrus	720
Campbell	374
Camp Call	534
Cannon Memorial	626
Cape Hatteras	698
Carthage	181
Cary	198
Casar	579
Caswell Brotherhood	11
Catawba	248
Catawba Valley	217
Central Cross	187
Chadbourn	607
Charity	5
Charles M. Setzer	693
Cherokee	146
Cherry Point	688
Cherryville	505
Clay	301
Cliffside	460
Clyde	453
Cleveland	202
Coharie	379
Colerain	171
Columbus	102
Concord	58
Conover	709
Cookville	502
Copeland	390
Corinthian	230, 542
Cranberry	598
Creasy Proctor	679
Creedmoor	499
Crown Point	708
Currituck	463
Dan River	129
Davie	39
Denton	404
Derita	715
Dillsboro	459
Doric	568
Dunn's Rock	267
Durham	352
Eagle	19
East Gate	692
East Laporte	358
Elberta	654
Elise	555
Elkin	454
Enfield	447
Eno	210
Eureka	283, 317
Excelsior	261
Fair Bluff	190
Fairfield	520

North Carolina Lodges By Name Alphabetically
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NAME	NO.
Fairmont	528
Fairview	339
Fallston	356
Farmington	265
Farmville	517
Fellowship	84, 687
Forest City	381
Forsyth	707
Fort Bragg	667
Francis S. Packard	630
Franklin	109
Franklinton	123
French Broad	292
Friendship	700
Fulton	99
Fuquay	258
Garland	664
Garner	701
Gaston	263
Gastonia	369
Gate City	694
Gatesville	126
George Washington	174
Glenville	551
Goldsboro	634
Granite	191, 322
Grantham	725
Granville	380
Grassy Knob	471
Green Level	277
Greensboro	76
Greenville	284
Grifton	243
Grimesland	475
Guilford	656
Hall	53
Hamlet	532
Hanks	128
Harmon	420
Harmony	299, 340
Henderson	229
Henry F. Grainger	412
Hilbriten	262
Hickory	343
Hiram	40, 98, 716
Holland Memorial	668
Hollis	535
Holly Springs	115
Home	613
Hominy	491
Horse Creek	719
Ionic	583
Jefferson Penn	384
Jeff L. Nelson	605
Jerusalem	95
John A. Nichols	650
John Huske Anderson	731
John H. Mills	624
Johnston-Caswell	10
Joppa	401, 530
Joseph Warren	92
Junaluskee	145
Kedron	387
Keller Memorial	657
Kenly	257
Kernersville	669
Keystone	726
Kilwinning	64
King	722
King Solomon	56, 138, 704
Knap of Reeds	158
LaFayette	83
Laurinburg	305
Lawndale	486
Leaksville	136
Lebanon	207, 391
Lee	253
Lenoir	233
Lexington	473
Liberty	45, 714
Lillington	302
Lincoln	137
Linville	489
Long Creek	205
Louisburg	413
Lovelady	670
Lowell	590
Lucama	527
Maiden	592
Manteo	521
Marble Springs	439
Marietta	444
Mattamuskeet	328
Matthews	461
Maxton	417
McLurd	713
Meadow Branch	578
Mecklenburg	176
Memorial	696
Meridian	728

North Carolina Lodges Listed By Name Alphabetically
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NAME	NO.
Millbrook	97
Mill Creek	125
Mingo	206
Mocksville	134
Monroe	244
Montgomery	426
Mooresboro	388
Mooresville	496
Morning Star	85
Mount Herman	118
Mount Holly	544
Mount Lebanon	117
Mount Moriah	690
Mount Olive	208
Mount Pleasant	569, 573
Mount Vernon	143, 359
Mystic Tie	237
Neil S. Stewart	556
New Lebanon	314
Newport	706
North Wilkesboro	407
Numa F. Reid	344
Ocean	405
Oconee	427
Orient	395
Orr	104
Oxford	122
Palmyra	147
Pee Dee	150
Pendleton	524
Perquimans	106
Perseverance	59
Person	113
Phalanx	31
Phoenix	8
Piedmont	681, 711
Pigeon River	386
Pilot	493
Piney Creek	432
Pioneer	685
Pleasant Hill	304
Potecasi	418
Proctorville	643
Providence	678
Pythagoras	249
Queen City	602
Radiance	132
Raeford	306
Rainbow	479
Raleigh	500
Red Springs	501
Rehoboth	279
Relief	431
Renfro	691
Revolution	552
Richard Caswell	705
Richlands	564
Rich Square	488
Riverside	606
Roanoke	203
Robbinsville	672
Rockingham	495
Rodgers	525
Rolesville	683
Roman Eagle	550
Roseboro	585
Round Peak	616
Royal White Hart	2
Salem	289
Saluda	482
Sanford	151
Scotch-Ireland	154
Scotland Neck	689
Seaboard	378
Sea Side	429
Selma	320
Semper Fidelis	680
Shallotte	727
Siler City	403
Skewarkee	90
Snow	363
Snow Creek	571
Sonoma	472
Southern Pines	484
South Fork	462
Sparta	423
Spencer	543
Spindale	673
St. Alban's	114
St. Andrew	702
St. John's	1, 3, 4, 13
Stanly	348
State Line	375
Statesville	27
Stedman	730
Stokes	32
Stokesdale	428
Stonewall	296
Stony Point	593
St. Patrick's	617

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NAME	NO.
St. Paul's	474
Swannanoa	561
Tobasco	271
Tabor	563
Tally Ho	393
Temple	676
Thomas M. Holt	492
Thomasville	214
Traphill	483
Troy	718
Twin County	729
Unanimity	7
Union	618
University	408
Vance	293
Vanceboro	433
Vesper	554
Waccamaw	596
Wake Forest	282
Walnut Cove	629
Warsaw	677
Washington	675
Waxhaw	562
Wayne	112
Waynesville	259
Wendell	565
West Asheville	665
West Bend	434
Western Star	91
Whetstone	515
White Stone	155
Wiccacon	240
Widow's Son	75, 519
William G. Hill	218
Williams	538
William T. Bain	231
Wilmington	319
Wilson	226, 712
Winston	167
Winton	723
Yadkin	162
Yadkin Falls	637
Youngsville	377
Zebulon	609
Zion	81

NORTH CAROLINA LODGES LISTED BY CITIES AND TOWNS

City / Town	Lodge No.
Aberdeen	550
Advance	710
Ahoskie	684
Albemarle	348, 703
Andrews	529
Angier	686
Apex	584
Apex, Rt. 1	174
Apex, Rt. 3	277
Arapahoe	479
Ararat	558
Archdale	732
Asheboro	188, 699
Asheville	118, 446, 650, 665
Atkinson	612
Aulander	516
Aurora	300
Ayden	498
Badin	637
Bahama	158
Bailey	411
Bailey, Rt. 1	569
Bakersville	357
Bayboro	331
Beaufort	109
Beaulaville	658
Belhaven	509
Belmont	627
Benson	431
Bessemer City	515
Bethel	589
Biscoe	437
Black Mountain	663
Bolton	596
Bonlee	143
Boone	363
Brevard	267
Bryson City	427
Burgaw	138
Burlington	409, 721
Burnsville	717
Butner	697
Buxton	698
Camden	75
Candler	491
Canton	386
Canton, Rt. 2	472
Carthage	181
Cary	198
Casar	579
Catawba	606
Chadbourn	607
Chapel Hill	408
Charlotte	31, 261, 530, 676, 692, 693, 700, 702, 726, 728
Cherryville	505
China Grove	283
Clayton	191
Clayton, R.F.D.	165
Cleveland	154
Cliffside	460
Clinton	98
Clyde	453
Coinjock	463
Colerain	171
Columbia	678
Columbus	719
Concord	32, 720
Conover	709
Copeland	390
Cornelius	538
Cornwall	149
Cove City	583
Cramerton	462
Creedmoor	499
Dallas	263
Davidson	176
Deep Gap	373
Denton	404
Derita	715
Dunn	147
Dunn, R.F.D.	206
Durham	210, 352, 687
East LaPort	358
Edenton	7
Elizabeth City	317
Elizabethtown	646
Elkin	454
Elk Park	598
Enfield	447
Englehard	328
Epsom	624
Erwin	556
Fair Bluff	190
Fairfield	520
Fairmont	528
Fallston	356
Farmington	265
Farmville	517
Fayetteville	8, 679, 731
Forest City	381
Fort Bragg	667
Franklin	145
Franklinton	123

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Franklinville ---------- 128
Fremont ---------- 613
Fuquay Springs ---------- 258
Garland ---------- 664
Garner ---------- 701
Gastonia ---------- 369, 668, 704
Gatesville ---------- 126
Gibsonville ---------- 271
Glenville ---------- 551
Goldsboro ---------- 112, 634
Graham ---------- 492
Granthams, No. 7 Township (New Bern) ---------- 725
Greensboro -76, 542, 552, 656, 694
Greenville ---------- 284, 708
Grifton ---------- 243
Grimesland ---------- 475
Grover ---------- 375
Halifax ---------- 2
Hamlet ---------- 532
Harmony ---------- 299
Harrellsville ---------- 240
Havelock ---------- 688
Hayesville ---------- 301
Henderson ---------- 229
Hendersonville ---------- 387
Henry, Near ---------- 502
Hertford ---------- 106
Hickory ---------- 343
Highlands ---------- 435
High Point - 344, 674, 681, 716
Hillsboro ---------- 19
Hollis ---------- 535
Holly Springs ---------- 115
Hookerton ---------- 95
Hope Mills ---------- 391
Huntersville ---------- 205
Jackson ---------- 56
Jacksonville ----------83, 680
Kannapolis ---------- 626, 695
Kenansville ---------- 13
Kenly ---------- 257
Kernersville ---------- 669
King ---------- 722
Kings Mountain ---------- 339
Kinston ---------- 4, 705
LaGrange ---------- 233
Laurinburg ---------- 305
Lawndale ---------- 486
Leaksville ---------- 136
Lenoir ---------- 262
Lewiston ---------- 39
Lewisville ---------- 434
Lexington ---------- 473, 696
Liberty ---------- 714
Lillington ---------- 302
Lincolnton ---------- 137
Littleton ---------- 497
Louisburg ---------- 413
Lowell ---------- 590
Lucama ---------- 527
Lumberton ---------- 114
Madison ---------- 129
Maiden ---------- 592
Manteo ---------- 521
Marble ---------- 439
Marion ---------- 237
Marshall ---------- 292
Marshville ---------- 276
Matthews ---------- 461
Maxton ---------- 417
Mebane ---------- 272
Middlesex ---------- 525
Midland ---------- 618
Millbrook ---------- 97
Mocksville ---------- 134
Monroe ---------- 244
Mooresboro ---------- 388
Mooresville ---------- 496
Morehead City ---------- 405
Morganton ---------- 217
Mount Airy ---------- 322, 691
Mount Airy, Rt. 3 ---------- 616
Mount Gilead ---------- 127
Mount Holly ---------- 544
Mount Olive ---------- 208
Murfreesboro ---------- 17
Murphy ---------- 146
Nashville ---------- 85
New Bern ---------- 3, 568, 724
Newland ---------- 489
Newport ---------- 706
Newton ---------- 248
Newton Grove ---------- 125
Norlina ---------- 630
North Wilkesboro ---------- 407
Norwood ---------- 150
Old Fort ---------- 401
Olin ---------- 226
Oriental ---------- 359
Oxford ---------- 122
Oxford, Rt. 5 ---------- 412
Pendleton ---------- 524
Pikeville ---------- 340
Pilot Mountain ---------- 493
Piney Creek ---------- 432

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Pink Hill ---------------- 304
Pittsboro ---------------- 102
Plymouth ---------------- 59
Potecasi ---------------- 418
Princeton ---------------- 617
Proctorville ---------------- 643
Raeford ---------------- 306
Raleigh ---------- 40, 218, 500
Raleigh, Rt. 3 ---------------- 231
Ramseur ---------------- 444
Ranger ---------------- 426
Red Springs ---------------- 501
Reidsville ---------------- 384
Richlands ---------------- 564
Rich Square ---------------- 488
Roanoke Rapids ---------------- 519
Robbins ---------------- 555
Robbinsville ---------------- 672
Robersonville ---------------- 296
Rockingham ---------------- 495
Rockwell ---------------- 657
Rocky Mount ---- 230, 602, 729
Rolesville ---------------- 683
Roseboro ---------------- 585
Rose Hill ---------------- 279
Roxboro ---------------- 113
Rutherfordton ---------------- 91
St. Paul's ---------------- 474
Salemburg ---------------- 379
Salisbury ------------ 99, 576
Saluda ---------------- 482
Sanford ------------ 151, 172
Scotland Neck ---------------- 689
Seaboard ---------------- 378
Selma ---------------- 320
Shallotte ---------------- 727
Shawboro, *Star Route* ----- 53
Shelby ---------------- 202
Shelby, Rt. 5 ---------------- 534
Siler City ---------------- 403
Smithfield ---------------- 84
Snow Hill ---------------- 132
Southern Pines ---------------- 484
South Mills ---------------- 314
Southport ---------------- 249
Sparta ---------------- 423
Spencer ---------------- 543
Spindale ---------------- 673
Spring Hope, Rt. 2 ---------------- 187
Spruce Pine ---------------- 554
Stanley ---------------- 713
Stantonsburg ---------------- 92
Statesville ------------ 27, 690
Statesville, Rt. 5 ---------------- 571
Stedman ---------------- 730
Stem ---------------- 393
Stocksville ---------------- 293
Stokesdale ---------------- 428
Stony Point ---------------- 593
Swannanoa ---------------- 561
Swanquarter ---------------- 294
Swansboro ---------------- 429
Swiss ---------------- 397
Sylva ---------------- 459
Tabor City ---------------- 563
Tarboro ---------------- 58
Taylorsville ---------------- 253
Thomasville ---------------- 214
Trap Hill ---------------- 433
Trenton ---------------- 81
Troutman ---------------- 374
Troy ---------------- 718
Tryon ---------------- 605
Union Grove ---------------- 471
Valdese ---------------- 670
Vanceboro ---------------- 433
Wadesboro ---------------- 64
Wakefield ---------------- 155
Wake Forest ---------------- 282
Wake Forest, Rt. 3 ---------------- 380
Wallace ---------------- 595
Walnut Cove ---------------- 629
Warrenton ---------------- 10
Warsaw ---------------- 677
Washington ---------- 104, 675
Waxhaw ---------------- 562
Waynesville ---------------- 259
Weaverville ---------------- 170
Weldon ---------------- 203
Wendell ---------------- 565
West End ---------------- 654
West Jefferson ---------------- 594
Whiteville ---------------- 207
Wilkesboro ---------------- 45
Wilkesboro, Rt. 1 ---------------- 573
Williamston ---------------- 90
Wilmington ------- 1, 319, 395
Wilson ------------ 117, 712
Windsor ---------------- 5
Wingate ---------------- 578
Win.-Salem 167, 289, 685, 707, 711
Winton ---------------- 723
Yadkinville ---------------- 162
Yadkinville, Rt. 3 ---------------- 420
Yanceyville ---------------- 11
Youngsville ---------------- 377
Zebulon ---------------- 609

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County	Lodges
1. Alamance	272, 409, 492, 721
2. Alexander	253, 593
3. Alleghany	423, 432
4. Anson	64
5. Ashe	594
6. Avery	489, 598
7. Beaufort	104, 300, 509, 675
8. Bertie	5, 39, 171, 516
9. Bladen	646
10. Brunswick	249, 727
11. Buncombe	118, 170, 293, 446, 491, 561, 650, 663, 665
12. Burke	217, 670
13. Cabarrus	32, 618, 626, 695, 720
14. Caldwell	262
15. Camden	75, 314
16. Carteret	109, 405, 706
17. Caswell	11
18. Catawba	248, 343, 502, 592, 606, 709
19. Chatham	102, 143, 174, 403
20. Cherokee	146, 426, 439, 529
21. Chowan	7
22. Clay	301
23. Cleveland	202, 339, 356, 375, 388, 486, 534, 579
24. Columbus	190, 207, 563, 596, 607
25. Craven	3, 433, 568, 583, 688, 724, 725
26. Cumberland	8, 391, 667, 679, 730, 731
27. Currituck	53, 463
28. Dare	521, 698
29. Davidson	214, 404, 473, 696
30. Davie	134, 265, 710
31. Duplin	13, 279, 595, 658, 677
32. Durham	158, 210, 352, 687
33. Edgecombe	58
34. Forsyth	167, 289, 434, 669, 685, 707, 711
35. Franklin	123, 377, 413, 624
36. Gaston	263, 369, 462, 505, 515, 544, 590, 627, 668, 704, 713
37. Gates	126
38. Graham	672
39. Granville	122, 149, 380, 393, 412, 499, 697
40. Greene	95, 132
41. Guilford	76, 271, 344, 428, 542, 552, 656, 674, 681, 694, 716
42. Halifax	2, 203, 447, 519, 689
43. Harnett	147, 302, 556, 686
44. Haywood	259, 386, 453, 472
45. Henderson	387
46. Hertford	17, 240, 684, 723
47. Hoke	306
48. Hyde	294, 328, 520
49. Iredell	27, 226, 299, 374, 471, 496, 571, 690
50. Jackson	358, 459, 551
51. Johnston	84, 165, 191, 257, 320, 431, 617
52. Jones	81
53. Lee	151, 172

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No.	County	Lodges
54.	Lenoir	4, 233, 304, 705
55.	Lincoln	137
56.	Macon	145, 435
57.	Madison	292
58.	Martin	90, 296
59.	McDowell	237, 401
60.	Mecklenburg	31, 176, 205, 261, 461, 530, 538, 676, 692, 693, 700, 702, 715, 726, 728
61.	Mitchell	357, 554
62.	Montgomery	127, 437, 718
63.	Moore	181, 484, 550, 555, 654
64.	Nash	85, 187, 230, 411, 525, 569, 602, 729
65.	New Hanover	1, 319, 395
66.	Northampton	56, 378, 418, 488, 524
67.	Onslow	83, 429, 564, 680
68.	Orange	19, 408
69.	Pamlico	331, 359, 479
70.	Pasquotank	317
71.	Pender	138, 612
72.	Perquimans	106
73.	Person	113
74.	Pitt	243, 284, 475, 498, 517, 589, 708
75.	Polk	482, 605, 719
76.	Randolph	128, 188, 444, 699, 714, 732
77.	Richmond	495, 532
78.	Robeson	114, 41, 474, 501, 528, 643
79.	Rockingham	129, 136, 384
80.	Rowan	99, 154, 283, 543, 576, 657
81.	Rutherford	91, 381, 460, 535, 673
82.	Sampson	98, 125, 206, 379, 585, 664
83.	Scotland	305
84.	Stanly	150, 348, 637, 703
85.	Stokes	629, 722
86.	Surry	322, 390, 454, 493, 558, 616, 691
87.	Swain	427
88.	Transylvania	267
89.	Tyrrell	678
90.	Union	244, 276, 562, 578
91.	Vance	229
92.	Wake	40, 97, 115, 155, 198, 218, 231, 258, 277, 282, 500, 565, 584, 609, 683, 701
93.	Warren	10, 497, 630
94.	Washington	59
95.	Watauga	363, 373
96.	Wayne	112, 208, 340, 613, 634
97.	Wilkes	45, 407, 483, 573
98.	Wilson	92, 117, 527, 712
99.	Yadkin	162, 420
100.	Yancey	397, 717

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District	Lodges
1.	7, 53, 75, 106, 126, 314, 317, 463
2.	5, 39, 90, 171, 240, 516, 684, 723
3.	328, 521, 678, 698
4.	59, 104, 294, 300, 509, 520, 675
5.	243, 284, 296, 475, 498, 517, 589, 708
6.	4, 95, 132, 233, 304, 705
7.	3, 81, 331, 359, 433, 479, 568, 583, 688, 724, 725
8.	83, 109, 405, 429, 564, 680, 706
9.	13, 279, 595, 658, 677
10.	1, 138, 249, 319, 395, 612
11.	190, 207, 563, 596, 607, 646, 727
12.	114, 417, 474, 501, 528, 643
13.	8, 147, 302, 391, 556, 667, 679, 730, 731
14.	98, 125, 206, 379, 585, 664
15.	84, 165, 191, 257, 320, 431, 617
16.	112, 208, 340, 613, 634
17.	92, 117, 411, 525, 527, 569, 712
18.	58, 85, 187, 230, 602, 729
19.	17, 56, 378, 418, 488, 524
20.	2, 203, 447, 497, 519, 668
21.	10, 123, 229, 377, 413, 624, 630
22.	155, 282, 380, 565, 609, 683
23.	40, 97, 198, 218, 231, 500, 701
24.	115, 174, 258, 277, 584, 686
25.	102, 143, 151, 172, 181, 403, 555
26.	305, 306, 484, 495, 532, 550, 654
27.	64, 244, 276, 562, 578
28.	127, 150, 348, 437, 637, 703, 718
29.	128, 188, 444, 699, 714, 732
30.	11, 19, 271, 272, 409, 492, 721
31.	158, 210, 352, 408, 687
32.	113, 122, 149, 393, 412, 499, 697
33.	129, 136, 384, 629
34.	76, 428, 542, 552, 656, 694
35.	167, 289, 669, 685, 707, 711, 722
36.	214, 344, 404, 473, 674, 681, 696, 716
37.	99, 154, 283, 543, 576, 657
38.	32, 618, 626, 695, 720
39.	176, 205, 461, 538, 715
40.	31, 261, 530, 676, 692, 693, 700, 702, 726, 728
41.	137, 462, 544, 59*, 627, 713
42.	263, 369, 505, 515, 668, 704
43.	202, 339, 356, 375, 388, 486, 534, 579
44.	217, 248, 262, 343, 502, 592, 606, 670, 709
45.	27, 226, 253, 299, 374, 471, 496, 571, 593, 690
46.	134, 162, 265, 420, 434, 710
47.	322, 390, 454, 493, 558, 616, 691
48.	45, 407, 483, 573
49.	363, 373, 423, 432, 594
50.	Consolidated
51.	357, 489, 554, 598
52.	91, 237, 381, 401, 460, 535, 673
53.	170, 292, 293, 397, 717
54.	118, 446, 491, 561, 650, 663, 665
55.	267, 387, 482, 605, 719
56.	259, 386, 453, 472
57.	145, 358, 427, 435, 459, 551
58.	146, 301, 426, 439, 529, 672

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NO.	NAME	DISTRICT
1	St. John's	(10)
2	Royal White Hart	(20)
3	St. John's	(7)
4	St. John's	(6)
5	Charity	(2)
7	Unanimity	(1)
8	Phoenix	(13)
10	Johnston-Caswell	(21)
11	Caswell Brotherhood	(30)
13	St. John's	(9)
17	American George	(19)
19	Eagle	(30)
27	Statesville	(45)
31	Phalanx	(40)
32	Stokes	(38)
39	Davie	(2)
40	Hiram	(23)
45	Liberty	(48)
53	Hall	(1)
56	King Solomon	(19)
58	Concord	(18)
59	Perseverance	(4)
64	Kilwinning	(27)
75	Widow's Son	(1)
76	Greensboro	(34)
81	Zion	(7)
83	LaFayette	(8)
84	Fellowship	(15)
85	Morning Star	(18)
90	Skewarkee	(2)
91	Western Star	(52)
92	Joseph Warren	(17)
95	Jerusalem	(6)
97	Millbrook	(23)
98	Hiram	(14)
99	Fulton	(37)
102	Columbus	(25)
104	Orr	(4)
106	Perquimans	(1)
109	Franklin	(8)
112	Wayne	(16)
113	Person	(32)
114	St. Alban's	(12)
115	Holly Springs	(24)
117	Mount Lebanon	(17)
118	Mount Hermon	(54)
122	Oxford	(32)
123	Franklinton	(21)
125	Mill Creek	(14)
126	Gatesville	(1)
127	Blackmer	(28)
128	Hanks	(29)
129	Dan River	(33)
132	Radiance	(6)
134	Mocksville	(46)
136	Leaksville	(33)
137	Lincoln	(41)
138	King Solomon	(10)
143	Mount Vernon	(25)
145	Junaluskee	(57)
146	Cherokee	(58)
147	Palmyra	(13)
149	Adoniram	(32)
150	Pee Dee	(28)
151	Sanford	(25)
154	Scotch Ireland	(37)
155	White Stone	(22)
158	Knap of Reeds	(31)
162	Yadkin	(46)
165	Archer	(15)
167	Winston	(35)
170	Blackmer	(53)
171	Colerain	(2)
172	Buffalo	(25)
174	George Washington	(24)
176	Mecklenburg	(39)
181	Carthage	(25)
187	Central Cross	(18)
188	Balfour	(29)
190	Fair Bluff	(11)
191	Granite	(15)
198	Cary	(23)
202	Cleveland	(43)
203	Roanoke	(20)
205	Long Creek	(39)
206	Mingo	(14)
207	Lebanon	(11)
208	Mount Olive	(16)
210	Eno	(31)
214	Thomasville	(36)
217	Catawba Valley	(44)
218	William G. Hill	(23)
226	Wilson	(45)
229	Henderson	(21)
230	Corinthian	(18)
231	William T. Bain	(23)
233	Lenoir	(6)
237	Mystic Tie	(52)
240	Wiccacon	(2)
243	Grifton	(5)

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NO.	NAME	DISTRICT
244	Monroe	(27)
248	Catawba	(44)
249	Pythagoras	(10)
253	Lee	(45)
257	Kenly	(15)
258	Fuquay	(24)
259	Waynesville	(56)
261	Excelsior	(40)
262	Hibriten	(44)
263	Gaston	(42)
265	Farmington	(46)
267	Dunn's Rock	(55)
271	Tabasco	(30)
272	Bingham	(30)
276	Beaver Dam	(27)
277	Green Level	(24)
279	Rehoboth	(9)
282	Wake Forest	(22)
283	Eureka	(37)
284	Greenville	(5)
289	Salem	(35)
292	French Broad	(53)
293	Vance	(53)
294	Atlantic	(4)
296	Stonewall	(5)
299	Harmony	(45)
300	Aurora	(4)
301	Clay	(58)
302	Lillington	(13)
304	Pleasant Hill	(6)
305	Laurinburg	(26)
306	Raeford	(26)
314	New Lebanon	(1)
317	Eureka	(1)
319	Wilmington	(10)
320	Selma	(15)
322	Granite	(47)
328	Mattamuskeet	(3)
331	Bayboro	(7)
339	Fairview	(43)
340	Harmony	(16)
343	Hickory	(44)
344	Numa F. Reid	(36)
348	Stanley	(28)
352	Durham	(31)
356	Fallston	(43)
357	Bakersville	(51)
358	East LaPorte	(57)
359	Mount Vernon	(1)
363	Snow	(49)
369	Gastonia	(42)
372	Ashler	(49)
374	Campbell	(45)
375	State Line	(43)
377	Youngsville	(21)
378	Seaboard	(19)
379	Coharie	(14)
380	Granville	(22)
381	Forest City	(52)
384	Jefferson Penn	(33)
386	Pigeon River	(56)
387	Kedron	(55)
388	Mooresboro	(43)
390	Copeland	(47)
391	Lebanon	(13)
393	Tally Ho	(32)
395	Orient	(10)
397	Bald Creek	(53)
401	Joppa	(52)
403	Siler City	(25)
404	Denton	(36)
405	Ocean	(8)
407	North Wilkesboro	(48)
408	University	(31)
409	Bula	(30)
411	Bailey	(17)
412	Henry F. Grainger	(32)
413	Louisburg	(21)
417	Maxton	(12)
418	Potecasi	(19)
420	Harmon	(46)
423	Sparta	(49)
426	Montgomery	(58)
427	Oconee	(57)
428	Stokesdale	(34)
429	Sea Side	(8)
431	Relief	(15)
432	Piney Creek	(49)
433	Vanceboro	(7)
434	West Bend	(46)
435	Blue Ridge	(57)
437	Biscoe	(28)
439	Marble Springs	(58)
444	Marietta	(29)
446	Biltmore	(54)
447	Enfield	(20)
453	Clyde	(56)
454	Elkin	(47)
459	Dillsboro	(57)
460	Cliffside	(52)

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NO. NAME	DISTRICT
461—Matthews	(39)
462—South Fork	(41)
463—Currituck	(1)
471..Grassy Knob	(45)
472—Sonoma	(56)
473—Lexington	(36)
474—St. Paul's	(12)
475—Grimesland	(5)
479—Rainbow	(7)
482—Saluda	(55)
483—Traphill	(48)
484—Southern Pines	(26)
486—Lawndale	(43)
488—Rich Square	(19)
489—Linville	(51)
491—Hominy	(54)
492—Thomas M. Holt	(30)
493—Pilot	(47)
495—Rockingham	(26)
496—Mooresville	(45)
497—Royal Hart	(20)
498—Ayden	(5)
499—Creedmoor	(32)
500—Raleigh	(23)
501—Red Springs	(12)
502—Cookville	(44)
505—Cherryville	(42)
509—Belhaven	(4)
515—Whetstone	(42)
516—Aulander	(2)
517—Farmville	(5)
519—Widow's Son	(20)
520—Fairfield	(4)
521—Manteo	(3)
524—Pendleton	(19)
555—Rogers	(17)
527—Lucama	(17)
528—Fairmont	(12)
529—Andrews	(58)
530—Joppa	(40)
532—Hamlet	(26)
534—Camp Call	(43)
535—Hollis	(52)
538—Williams	(39)
542—Corinthian	(34)
543—Spencer	(37)
544—Mount Holly	(41)
550—Roman Eagle	(26)
551—Glenville	(57)
552—Revolution	(34)

NO. NAME	DISTRICT
554—Vesper	(51)
555—Elise	(25)
556—Neil S. Stewart	(13)
558—Ararat	(47)
561—Swannanoa	(54)
562—Waxhaw	(27)
563—Tabor	(11)
564—Richlands	(8)
565—Wendell	(22)
568—Doric	(7)
569—Mount Pleasant	(17)
571—Snow Creek	(45)
573—Mount Pleasant	(48)
576—Andrew Jackson	(37)
578—Meadow Branch	(27)
579—Casar	(43)
583—Ionic	(7)
584—Apex	(24)
585—Roseboro	(14)
589—Bethel	(5)
590—Lowell	(41)
592—Maiden	(44)
593—Stony Point	(45)
594—Ashe	(49)
595—Wallace	(9)
596—Waccamaw	(11)
598—Cranberry	(51)
602—Queen City	(18)
605—Jeff L. Nelson	(55)
606—Riverside	(44)
607—Chadbourn	(11)
609—Zebulon	(22)
612—Atkinson	(10)
613—Home	(16)
616—Round Peak	(47)
617—St. Patrick's	(15)
618—Union	(38)
624—John H. Mills	(21)
626—Cannon Memorial	(38)
627—Belmont	(41)
629—Walnut Cove	(33)
630—Francis S. Packard	(21)
634—Goldsboro	(16)
637—Yadkin Falls	(28)
643—Proctorville	(12)
646—Bladen	(11)
650—John A. Nichols	(54)
654—Elberta	(26)
656—Guilford	(34)
657—Keller Memorial	(37)

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NO. NAME	DISTRICT	NO. NAME	DISTRICT
658—Beulaville	(9)	699—Asheboro	(29)
663—Black Mountain	(54)	700—Friendship	(40)
664—Garland	(14)	701—Garner	(23)
665—West Asheville	(54)	702—St. Andrew	(40)
667—Fort Bragg	(13)	703—Albemarle	(28)
668—Holland Memorial	(42)	704—King Solomon	(42)
669—Kernersville	(35)	705—Richard Caswell	(6)
670—Lovelady	(44)	706—Newport	(8)
672—Robbinsville	(58)	707—Forsyth	(35)
673—Spindale	(52)	708—Crown Point	(5)
674—Acacia	(36)	709—Conover	(44)
675—Washington	(4)	710—Advance	(46)
676—Temple	(40)	711—Piedmont	(35)
677—Warsaw	(9)	712—Wilson	(17)
678—Providence	(3)	713—McLurd	(41)
679—Creasy Proctor	(13)	714—Liberty	(29)
680—Semper Fidelis	(8)	715—Derita	(39)
681—Piedmont	(36)	716—Hiram	(36)
683—Rolesville	(22)	717—Burnsville	(53)
684—Ahoskie	(2)	718—Troy	(28)
685—Pioneer	(35)	719—Horse Creek	(55)
686—Angier	(24)	720—Cabarrus	(38)
687—Fellowship	(31)	721—Burlington	(30)
688—Cherry Point	(7)	722—King	(35)
689—Scotland Neck	(20)	723—Winton	(2)
690—Mount Moriah	(45)	724—Berne	(7)
691—Renfro	(47)	725—Grantham	(7)
692—East Gate	(40)	726—Keystone	(40)
693—Charles M. Setzer	(40)	727—Shallotte	(11)
694—Gate City	(34)	728—Meridian	(40)
695—Allen-Graham	(38)	729—Twin County	(18)
696—Memorial	(36)	730—Stedman	(13)
697—Butner	(32)	731—John Huske Anderson	(13)
698—Cape Hatteras	(3)	732—Bush Hill	(29)

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LODGES UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE GRAND LODGE OF A. F. & A. M. OF NORTH CAROLINA

NO.	NAME And DISTRICT	POST OFFICE	COUNTY	Initiated	Passed	Raised	Admitted	Restored	Expelled	Suspended U.M.C.	Excluded N.P.D.	Demitted	Died	Membership Previous Year	Present Membership	Decrease	Increase	Rejected	FEES	DUES	NO.
1	St. John's (10)	Wilmington	New Hanover	10	7	6	1	1	0	0	7	4	17	638	618	20	0	0	$ 75.00	$10.00	1
2	Royal White Hart (20)	Halifax	Halifax	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	66	66	0	0	0	35.00	8.00	2
3	St. John's (7)	New Bern	Craven	3	6	5	0	2	0	0	2	2	2	219	220	0	1	1	50.00	10.00	3
4	St. John's (6)	Kinston	Lenoir	6	7	7	2	0	0	0	3	5	4	387	384	3	0	2	50.00	10.00	4
5	Charity (2)	Windsor	Bertie	4	4	5	1	0	0	0	1	0	3	133	135	0	2	1	30.00	6.00	5
7	Unanimity (1)	Edenton	Chowan	5	4	4	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	150	155	0	5	1	50.00	15.00	7
8	Phoenix (13)	Fayetteville	Cumberland	17	17	17	4	1	0	0	8	35	9	607	577	30	0	5	50.00	10.00	8
10	Johnston-Caswell (21)	Warrenton	Warren	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	5	103	99	4	0	0	35.00	20.00	10
11	Caswell Bro'hood (30)	Yanceyville	Caswell	4	4	6	1	0	0	0	1	1	5	133	133	0	0	1	50.00	7.00	11
13	St. John's (9)	Kenansville	Duplin	4	4	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	165	166	0	1	1	35.00	10.00	13
17	American George (19)	Murfreesboro	Hertford	1	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	119	117	2	0	3	50.00	7.50	17
19	Eagle (30)	Hillsboro	Orange	5	5	5	1	0	0	0	0	1	3	185	187	0	2	4	40.00	7.00	19
27	Statesville (45)	Statesville	Iredell	9	8	11	2	1	0	0	0	1	9	204	208	0	4	0	60.00	9.00	27
31	Phalanx (40)	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	16	14	14	3	1	0	0	1	4	10	596	599	0	3	1	75.00	10.00	31
32	Stokes (38)	Concord	Cabarrus	14	12	13	2	5	0	0	2	3	4	396	407	0	11	4	50.00	15.00	32
39	Davie (2)	Lewiston	Bertie	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	60	56	4	0	0	35.00	12.00	39
40	Hiram (23)	Raleigh	Wake	16	16	21	3	0	0	0	10	9	11	653	647	6	0	1	75.00	15.00	40
45	Liberty (48)	Wilkesboro	Wilkes	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	95	96	0	1	1	40.00	12.00	45
53	Hall (1)	Shawboro, Star Rt.	Currituck	3	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	135	136	0	1	3	50.00	12.00	53
56	King Solomon (19)	Jackson	Northampton	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	87	85	2	0	0	35.00	7.50	56
58	Concord (18)	Tarboro	Edgecombe	3	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	3	1	177	176	1	0	2	50.00	6.00	58
59	Perseverance (4)	Plymouth	Washington	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	4	228	223	5	0	2	50.00	10.00	59
64	Kilwinning (27)	Wadesboro	Anson	3	2	3	0	0	0	0	6	2	1	237	231	6	0	3	50.00	10.00	64
75	Widow's Son (1)	Camden	Camden	5	8	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	86	94	0	8	2	75.00	16.00	75
76	Greensboro (34)	Greensboro	Guilford	8	9	8	1	0	0	0	2	3	13	657	648	9	0	0	75.00	10.00	76
81	Zion (7)	Trenton	Jones	3	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	2	1	101	101	0	0	2	50.00	10.00	81
83	LaFayette (8)	Jacksonville	Onslow	12	9	12	1	3	0	0	16	4	2	339	333	6	0	3	50.00	10.00	83
84	Fellowship (15)	Smithfield	Johnston	4	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	6	225	220	5	0	0	50.00	7.50	84
85	Morning Star (18)	Nashville	Nash	1	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	103	103	0	0	0	35.00	8.00	85
90	Skewarkee (2)	Williamston	Martin	0	0	4	0	2	0	0	1	3	1	213	214	0	1	0	50.00	18.00	90
91	Western Star (52)	Rutherfordton	Rutherford	3	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	132	131	1	0	0	50.00	10.00	91
92	Joseph Warren (17)	Stantonsburg	Wilson	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	88	84	4	0	0	35.00	10.00	92
95	Jerusalem (6)	Hookerton	Greene	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	56	55	1	0	0	35.00	7.50	95
97	Millbrook (23)	Millbrook	Wake	8	7	7	2	2	0	0	3	1	1	130	136	0	6	1	75.00	10.00	97

98	Hiram (14)	Clinton	Sampson	8	9	10	1	0	0	0	2	1	8	263	263	0	0	0	50.00	10.00	98
99	Fulton (37)	Salisbury	Rowan	7	7	7	0	1	0	1	0	1	10	374	370	4	0	0	75.00	15.00	99
102	Columbus (25)	Pittsboro	Chatham	1	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	77	79	0	2	1	30.00	5.00	102
104	Orr (4)	Washington	Beaufort	8	9	10	1	2	0	0	3	1	8	241	242	0	1	1	50.00	10.00	104
106	Perquimans (1)	Hertford	Perquimans	4	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	132	134	0	2	1	45.00	8.00	106
109	Franklin (8)	Beaufort	Carteret	8	7	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	4	335	337	0	2	5	50.00	8.00	109
112	Wayne (16)	Goldsboro	Wayne	12	10	8	3	0	0	0	0	4	6	395	396	0	1	3	50.00	8.00	112
113	Person (32)	Roxboro	Person	3	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	3	3	214	211	3	0	2	60.00	8.00	113
114	St. Alban's (12)	Lumberton	Robeson	7	6	6	0	6	0	0	9	7	4	394	386	8	0	1	100.00	24.00	114
115	Holly Springs (24)	Holly Springs	Wake	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	39	39	0	0	0	30.00	6.00	115
117	Mount Lebanon (17)	Wilson	Wilson	3	0	0	5	3	0	0	2	4	11	224	215	9	0	0	50.00	12.00	117
118	Mount Hermon (54)	Asheville	Buncombe	10	8	6	3	5	0	0	5	5	15	602	591	11	0	1	60.00	10.00	118
122	Oxford (32)	Oxford	Granville	13	12	12	3	0	0	0	2	2	6	205	210	0	5	0	60.00	12.00	122
123	Franklinton (21)	Franklinton	Franklin	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	80	78	2	0	2	50.00	15.00	123
125	Mill Creek (14)	Newton Grove	Sampson	6	8	8	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	110	117	0	7	1	30.00	10.00	125
126	Gatesville (1)	Gatesville	Gates	7	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	113	116	0	3	1	50.00	20.00	126
127	Blackmer (28)	Mount Gilead	Montgomery	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	105	104	1	0	0	35.00	8.00	127
128	Hanks (29)	Franklinville	Randolph	3	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	46	48	0	2	0	30.00	5.00	128
129	Dan River (33)	Madison	Rockingham	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	157	154	3	0	2	50.00	12.00	129
132	Radiance (6)	Snow Hill	Greene	3	4	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	87	91	0	4	0	35.00	10.00	132
134	Mocksville (46)	Mocksville	Davie	4	7	8	2	0	0	0	1	0	3	181	187	0	6	0	50.00	10.00	134
136	Leaksville (33)	Leaksville	Rockingham	7	7	8	1	0	0	0	0	1	6	221	223	0	2	4	50.00	10.00	136
137	Lincoln (41)	Lincolnton	Lincoln	6	6	6	3	0	0	0	0	0	4	193	198	0	5	2	50.00	10.00	137
138	King Solomon (10)	Burgaw	Pender	2	3	2	0	0	0	0	4	1	2	145	140	5	0	0	50.00	12.00	138
143	Mount Vernon (25)	Bonlee	Chatham	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	69	69	0	0	0	30.00	10.00	143
145	Junaluskee (57)	Franklin	Macon	5	6	8	0	0	0	0	1	2	4	211	212	0	1	1	35.00	10.00	145
146	Cherokee (58)	Murphy	Cherokee	6	6	8	1	1	0	0	4	3	3	181	181	0	0	4	40.00	10.00	146
147	Palmyra (13)	Dunn	Harnett	16	15	14	8	2	0	0	0	2	9	354	367	0	13	10	50.00	10.00	147
149	Adoniram (32)	Cornwall §	Granville	3	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	44	47	0	3	0	30.00	7.50	149
150	Pee Dee (28)	Norwood	Stanly	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	68	68	0	0	0	40.00	10.00	150
151	Sanford (25)	Sanford	Lee	7	6	7	2	0	0	0	3	3	7	210	206	4	0	0	50.00	9.00	151
154	Scotch Ireland (37)	Cleveland	Rowan	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	79	79	0	0	0	35.00	5.00	154
155	White Stone (22)	Wakefield §	Wake	7	4	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	160	164	0	4	0	35.00	7.50	155
158	Knap of Reeds (31)	Bahama	Durham	2	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	61	62	0	1	0	35.00	5.00	158
162	Yadkin (46)	Yadkinville	Yadkin	*6	4	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	147	148	0	1	0	50.00	20.00	162
165	Archer (15)	Clayton, RFD	Johnston	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	70	67	3	0	0	30.00	7.50	165
167	Winston (35)	Winston-Salem	Forsyth	13	10	11	2	2	0	0	1	1	14	531	530	1	0	2	75.00	12.50	167
170	Blackmer (53)	Weaverville	Buncombe	5	5	5	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	133	138	0	5	1	50.00	8.00	170
171	Colerain (2)	Colerain	Bertie	4	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	85	86	0	1	0	30.00	20.00	171
172	Buffalo (25)	Sanford	Lee	7	6	7	2	1	0	0	0	0	2	204	212	0	8	0	50.00	6.00	172
172	Geo. Washington (24)	Apex, Rt. 1	Chatham	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	34	32	2	0	0	30.00	5.00	174
176	Mecklenburg (39)	Davidson	Mecklenburg	3	3	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	90	89	1	0	0	35.00	7.50	176
181	Carthage (25)	Carthage	Moore	3	4	5	2	1	0	0	1	3	2	88	90	0	2	0	50.00	10.00	181
187	Central Cross (18)	Spring Hope, Rt. 2	Nash	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	87	86	1	0	0	30.00	7.50	187
188	Balfour (29)	Asheboro	Randolph	6	6	5	0	1	0	0	0	2	6	208	206	2	0	0	50.00	10.00	188
190	Fair Bluff (11)	Fair Bluff	Columbus	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	4	0	2	75	71	4	0	0	50.00	10.00	190
191	Granite (15)	Clayton	Johnston	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	59	60	0	1	1	30.00	8.00	191

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198 Cary (23)	Cary	Wake	2	3	4	3	0	0	0	3	1	2	200	201	0	1	0	50.00	10.00	198
202 Cleveland (43)	Shelby	Cleveland	4	6	6	4	2	0	0	3	1	8	483	483	0	0	8	50.00	10.00	202
203 Roanoke (20)	Weldon	Halifax	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	67	65	2	0	0	50.00	10.00	203
205 Long Creek (39)	Huntersville	Mecklenburg	6	11	11	2	1	0	0	2	4	2	271	277	0	6	0	75.00	10.00	205
206 Mingo (14)	Dunn, RFD	Sampson	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	77	76	1	0	2	35.00	10.00	206
207 Lebanon (11)	Whiteville	Columbus	5	8	9	4	1	0	0	2	2	2	147	155	0	8	2	65.00	15.00	207
208 Mount Olive (16)	Mount Olive	Wayne	6	5	5	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	162	165	0	3	0	35.00	14.00	208
210 Eno (31)	Durham	Durham	13	13	14	5	0	0	0	2	1	6	355	365	0	10	3	60.00	10.00	210
214 Thomasville (36)	Thomasville	Davidson	7	7	7	2	0	0	0	1	3	9	270	266	4	0	2	50.00	10.00	214
217 Catawba Valley (44)	Morganton	Burke	8	7	7	2	1	0	0	0	3	4	228	231	0	3	3	75.00	12.50	217
218 William G. Hill (23)	Raleigh	Wake	22	19	20	3	4	0	0	10	8	14	678	673	5	0	4	75.00	15.00	218
226 Wilson (45)	Olin	Iredell	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	47	47	0	0	0	30.00	5.00	226
229 Henderson (21)	Henderson	Vance	12	10	11	4	0	0	0	1	0	11	255	258	0	3	0	40.00	7.00	229
230 Corinthian (18)	Rocky Mount	Nash	12	14	14	0	5	0	0	7	5	11	352	348	4	0	2	50.00	9.00	230
231 William T. Bain (23)	Raleigh, Rt. 3	Wake	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	71	70	1	0	0	40.00	8.00	231
233 Lenoir (6)	La Grange	Lenoir	3	2	2	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	61	60	1	0	0	30.00	15.00	233
237 Mystic Tie (52)	Marion	McDowell	8	7	7	5	1	0	0	1	2	3	225	232	0	7	0	50.00	6.00	237
240 Wiccacon (2)	Harrellsville	Hertford	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	41	39	2	0	0	30.00	10.00	240
243 Grifton (5)	Grifton	Pitt	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	2	1	0	130	130	0	0	0	50.00	10.00	243
244 Monroe (27)	Monroe	Union	11	10	9	1	1	0	0	3	0	8	317	317	0	0	3	50.00	12.00	244
248 Catawba (44)	Newton	Catawba	8	8	8	1	2	0	0	6	0	6	181	180	1	0	3	36.00	5.00	248
249 Pythagoras (10)	Southport	Brunswick	2	2	2	2	0	0	0	2	0	3	147	146	1	0	2	75.00	8.00	249
253 Lee (45)	Taylorsville	Alexander	6	6	6	0	0	0	0	2	1	2	133	134	0	1	0	50.00	6.00	253
257 Kenly (15)	Kenly	Johnston	2	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	88	89	0	1	1	40.00	10.00	257
258 Fuquay (24)	Fuquay Springs	Wake	3	4	4	0	1	0	0	2	0	1	129	131	0	2	2	35.00	25.00	258
259 Waynesville (56)	Waynesville	Haywood	3	2	3	0	2	0	0	1	3	5	253	249	4	0	0	50.00	8.00	259
261 Excelsior (40)	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	29	29	29	3	3	2	0	14	2	12	1124	1129	0	5	3	75.00	10.00	261
262 Hibriten (44)	Lenoir	Caldwell	10	10	10	7	1	0	0	3	2	3	416	426	0	10	0	50.00	10.00	262
263 Gaston (42)	Dallas	Gaston	6	6	3	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	102	105	0	3	0	50.00	15.00	263
265 Farmington (46)	Farmington	Davie	3	3	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	47	52	0	5	0	50.00	10.00	265
267 Dunn's Rock (55)	Brevard	Transylvania	5	5	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	6	248	248	0	0	2	60.00	15.00	267
271 Tabasco (30)	Gibsonville	Guilford	2	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	90	91	0	1	0	50.00	10.00	271
272 Bingham (30)	Mebane	Alamance	2	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	158	159	0	1	0	50.00	10.00	272
276 Beaver Dam (27)	Marshville	Union	2	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	3	2	107	106	1	0	1	50.00	12.50	276

277	Green Level (24)	Apex, Rt. 3	Wake	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	48	50	0	2	0	30.00	6.00	277
279	Rehoboth (9)	Rosehill	Duplin	2	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	2	2	80	79	1	0	0	35.00	9.00	279
282	Wake Forest (22)	Wake Forest	Wake	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	125	126	0	1	0	50.00	10.00	282
283	Eureka (37)	China Grove	Rowan	4	6	6	1	2	0	0	6	0	3	189	189	0	0	0	50.00	10.00	283
284	Greenville (5)	Greenville	Pitt	4	5	5	0	3	0	0	3	3	8	325	319	6	0	0	50.00	10.00	284
289	Salem (35)	Winston-Salem	Forsyth	19	21	20	5	10	0	0	12	5	12	828	834	0	6	4	75.00	12.50	289
292	French Broad (53)	Marshall	Madison	2	2	4	0	0	0	0	2	0	6	198	194	4	0	0	35.00	8.00	292
293	Vance (53)	Stocksville	Buncombe	5	5	5	0	4	0	0	4	0	0	167	172	0	5	2	35.00	5.00	293
294	Atlantic (4)	Swanquarter	Hyde	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	62	62	0	0	0	50.00	10.00	294
296	Stonewall (5)	Robersonville	Martin	2	1	4	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	143	142	1	0	0	35.00	5.00	296
299	Harmony (45)	Harmony	Iredell	8	6	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	48	52	0	4	0	35.00	7.00	299
300	Aurora (4)	Aurora	Beaufort	1	3	1	0	1	0	0	5	1	2	108	102	6	0	0	40.00	10.00	300
301	Clay (58)	Hayesville	Clay	4	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	213	211	2	0	1	50.00	5.00	301
302	Lillington (13)	Lillington	Harnett	7	8	12	0	1	0	0	0	1	2	181	191	0	10	0	50.00	15.00	302
304	Pleasant Hill (6)	Pink Hill	Lenoir	6	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	131	132	0	1	9	30.00	5.00	304
305	Laurinburg (26)	Laurinburg	Scotland	6	5	3	1	3	0	0	6	2	6	175	168	7	0	0	50.00	15.00	305
306	Raeford (26)	Raeford	Hoke	4	3	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	6	138	133	5	0	1	50.00	10.00	306
314	New Lebanon (1)	South Mills	Camden	6	6	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	94	94	0	0	0	40.00	10.00	314
317	Eureka (1)	Elizabeth City	Pasquotank	12	10	8	1	0	0	0	4	1	4	418	418	0	0	12	100.00	12.00	317
319	Wilmington (10)	Wilmington	New Hanover	5	4	4	1	2	0	0	4	5	3	436	431	5	0	3	75.00	6.00	319
320	Selma (15)	Selma	Johnston	1	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	114	114	0	0	0	35.00	7.00	320
322	Granite (47)	Mount Airy	Surry	12	12	12	1	0	0	0	2	5	6	302	302	0	0	2	60.00	12.50	322
328	Mattamuskeet (3)	Engelhard	Hyde	4	4	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	82	85	0	3	3	37.50	5.00	328
331	Bayboro (7)	Bayboro	Pamlico	2	1	1	0	1	0	0	3	3	1	142	137	5	0	0	45.00	20.00	331
339	Fairview (43)	Kings Mountain	Cleveland	3	5	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	5	193	192	1	0	2	50.00	10.00	339
340	Harmony (16)	Pikeville	Wayne	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	99	98	1	0	0	30.00	12.50	340
343	Hickory (44)	Hickory	Catawba	16	16	16	4	4	0	0	14	5	9	474	470	4	0	11	50.00	10.00	343
344	Numa F. Reid (36)	High Point	Guilford	5	4	5	1	1	0	0	3	21	12	417	388	29	0	2	75.00	15.00	344
348	Stanly (28)	Albemarle	Stanly	11	11	11	2	1	0	0	0	3	7	352	356	0	4	1	60.00	10.00	348
352	Durham (31)	Durham	Durham	22	21	21	1	2	0	0	6	3	21	760	754	6	0	2	60.00	10.00	352
356	Fallston (43)	Fallston	Cleveland	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	96	95	1	0	0	30.00	7.50	356
357	Bakersville (51)	Bakersville	Mitchell	2	3	4	0	0	0	0	4	1	4	167	162	5	0	3	50.00	10.00	357
358	East LaPorte (57)	East Laport	Jackson	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	119	116	3	0	1	30.00	10.00	358
359	Mount Vernon (7)	Oriental	Pamlico	1	1	1	0	2	0	0	4	0	2	115	112	3	0	1	45.00	8.00	359
363	Snow (49)	Boone	Watauga	5	4	3	3	0	0	0	2	0	4	204	204	0	0	1	35.00	6.00	363
369	Gastonia (42)	Gastonia	Gaston	14	14	11	2	3	0	0	8	3	14	580	571	9	0	0	60.00	6.00	369
373	Ashler (49)	Deep Gap	Watauga	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	64	63	1	0	0	30.00	5.00	373
374	Campbell (45)	Troutman	Iredell	1	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	53	54	0	1	0	50.00	10.00	374
375	State Line (43)	Grover	Cleveland	7	6	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	53	59	0	6	1	35.00	5.00	375
377	Youngsville (21)	Youngsville	Franklin	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	46	47	0	1	0	35.00	7.50	377
378	Seaboard (19)	Seaboard	Northampton	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	54	56	0	2	0	30.00	7.50	378
379	Coharie (14)	Salemburg	Sampson	4	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	69	71	0	2	0	35.00	6.00	379
380	Granville (22)	Wake Forest, Rt. 3	Granville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	26	25	1	0	1	40.00	5.00	380
381	Forest City (52)	Forest City	Rutherford	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	3	4	145	140	5	0	1	50.00	10.00	381
384	Jefferson Penn (33)	Reidsville	Rockingham	6	6	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	7	317	317	0	0	0	60.00	12.00	384
386	Pigeon River (56)	Canton	Haywood	9	9	9	0	0	0	0	1	1	6	259	260	0	1	3	50.00	8.00	386
387	Kedron (55)	Hendersonville	Henderson	7	7	5	3	0	0	0	7	4	8	344	333	11	0	1	85.00	15.00	387
388	Mooresboro (43)	Mooresboro	Cleveland	4	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	90	89	1	0	0	35.00	8.00	388

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390	Copeland (47)	Copeland §	Surry	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	98	94	4	0	0	30.00	20.00	390
391	Lebanon (13)	Hope Mills	Cumberland	14	10	10	3	1	0	0	4	0	0	106	116	0	10	4	50.00	10.00	391
393	Tally Ho (32)	Stem	Granville	3	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	28	30	0	2	0	30.00	5.00	393
395	Orient (10)	Wilmington	New Hanover	15	17	17	2	1	0	0	1	1	10	249	257	0	8	4	75.00	10.00	395
397	Bald Creek (53)	Swiss	Yancey	2	2	2	1	2	0	0	3	4	3	156	151	5	0	0	35.00	6.00	397
401	Joppa (52)	Old Fort	McDowell	8	8	9	1	0	0	0	0	2	3	108	113	0	5	0	35.00	10.00	401
403	Siler City (25)	Siler City	Chatham	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	3	0	3	178	174	4	0	0	50.00	6.00	403
404	Denton (36)	Denton	Davidson	2	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	87	89	0	2	0	35.00	7.50	404
405	Ocean (8)	Morehead City	Carteret	5	3	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	4	263	263	0	0	2	50.00	10.00	405
407	North Wilkesboro (48)	North Wilkesboro	Wilkes	6	8	7	1	0	0	0	1	0	4	132	135	0	3	0	40.00	12.00	407
408	University (31)	Chapel Hill	Orange	1	1	1	2	1	0	0	2	1	6	168	163	5	0	0	60.00	15.00	408
409	Bula (30)	Burlington	Alamance	14	15	15	1	3	0	0	4	2	4	352	361	0	9	3	75.00	20.00	409
411	Bailey (17)	Bailey	Nash	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	78	79	0	1	0	30.00	10.00	411
412	Henry F. Grainger (32)	Oxford, Rt. 5	Granville	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	36	37	0	1	0	40.00	5.00	412
413	Louisburg (21)	Louisburg	Franklin	7	6	6	2	2	0	0	0	1	4	161	166	0	5	2	35.00	12.00	413
417	Maxton (12)	Maxton	Robeson	2	3	2	1	1	0	0	7	1	1	64	59	5	0	0	50.00	20.00	417
418	Potecasi (19)	Potecasi	Northampton	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	2	6	131	122	9	0	0	40.00	7.50	418
420	Harmon (46)	Yadkinville, Rt. 3	Yadkin	3	2	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	49	53	0	4	0	30.00	10.00	420
423	Sparta (49)	Sparta	Alleghany	3	4	4	0	0	0	0	1	3	1	120	119	1	0	1	35.00	12.00	423
426	Montgomery (58)	Ranger	Cherokee	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	4	220	217	3	0	2	40.00	7.00	426
427	Oconee (57)	Bryson City	Swain	5	5	4	0	1	0	0	4	0	5	151	147	4	0	2	50.00	10.00	427
428	Stokesdale (34)	Stokesdale	Guilford	4	4	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	116	122	0	6	0	45.00	10.00	428
429	Sea Side (8)	Swansboro	Onslow	3	2	2	4	1	0	0	0	0	5	147	149	0	2	4	40.00	6.00	429
431	Relief (15)	Benson	Johnston	2	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	106	107	0	1	0	50.00	7.00	431
432	Piney Creek (49)	Piney Creek	Alleghany	2	3	3	1	0	0	0	2	1	0	53	54	0	1	1	30.00	5.00	432
433	Vanceboro (7)	Vanceboro	Craven	4	4	4	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	87	89	0	2	2	40.00	10.00	433
434	West Bend (46)	Lewisville	Forsyth	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	114	113	1	0	0	50.00	10.00	434
435	Blue Ridge (57)	Highlands	Macon	2	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	58	58	0	0	0	50.00	8.00	435
437	Biscoe (28)	Biscoe	Montgomery	2	2	4	0	1	0	0	3	4	2	178	174	4	0	1	50.00	10.00	437
439	Marble Springs (58)	Marble	Cherokee	2	2	1	1	4	0	0	7	0	2	54	51	3	0	0	40.00	7.50	439
444	Marietta (29)	Ramseur	Randolph	4	4	4	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	86	88	0	2	1	35.00	5.00	444
446	Biltmore (54)	Asheville	Buncombe	21	20	20	4	4	0	0	6	2	6	315	329	0	14	2	60.00	12.50	446
447	Enfield (20)	Enfield	Halifax	4	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	143	145	0	2	0	40.00	10.00	447
453	Clyde (56)	Clyde	Haywood	3	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	103	106	0	3	0	45.00	7.50	453

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454	Elkin (47)	Elkin	Surry	8	8	7	1	1	0	0	1	3	7	180	178	2	0	1	50.00	15.00	454
459	Dillsboro (57)	Sylva	Jackson	2	0	1	1	2	0	0	5	1	2	198	194	4	0	1	40.00	10.00	459
460	Cliffside (52)	Cliffside	Rutherford	4	4	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	150	154	0	4	2	50.00	6.00	460
461	Matthews (39)	Matthews	Mecklenburg	16	16	13	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	209	223	0	14	0	75.00	8.00	461
462	South Fork (41)	Cramerton	Gaston	1	1	0	3	0	0	0	1	1	4	163	160	3	0	0	50.00	6.00	462
463	Currituck (1)	Coinjock	Currituck	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	5	0	3	146	141	5	0	5	75.00	10.00	463
471	Grassy Knob (45)	Union Grove	Iredell	2	3	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	65	68	0	3	0	30.00	5.00	471
472	Sonoma (56)	Canton, Rt. 2	Haywood	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	127	125	2	0	1	45.00	6.00	472
473	Lexington (36)	Lexington	Davidson	11	11	11	0	1	0	0	5	1	4	270	272	0	2	3	50.00	15.00	473
474	St. Pauls (12)	St. Pauls	Robeson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	78	76	2	0	0	40.00	7.50	474
475	Grimesland (5)	Grimesland	Pitt	2	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	64	66	0	2	0	35.00	10.00	475
479	Rainbow (7)	Arapahoe	Pamlico	2	1	1	0	2	0	0	1	0	3	84	83	1	0	1	50.00	10.00	479
482	Saluda (55)	Saluda	Polk	1	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	62	63	0	1	0	45.00	10.00	482
483	Traphill (48)	Traphill	Wilkes	5	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	40	40	0	0	0	35.00	10.00	483
484	Southern Pines (26)	Southern Pines	Moore	7	6	6	1	1	0	0	0	0	5	236	239	0	3	0	30.00	6.00	484
486	Lawndale (43)	Lawndale	Cleveland	6	6	7	2	0	0	0	2	0	2	82	87	0	5	0	35.00	7.50	486
488	Rich Square (19)	Rich Square	Northampton	3	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	58	59	0	1	0	40.00	5.00	488
489	Linville (51)	Newland	Avery	4	3	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	125	126	0	1	0	35.00	10.00	489
491	Hominy (54)	Candler	Buncombe	8	8	8	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	169	176	0	7	1	60.00	7.50	491
492	Thomas M. Holt (30)	Graham	Alamance	4	5	2	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	132	134	0	2	1	75.00	20.00	492
493	Pilot (47)	Pilot Mountain	Surry	2	2	2	0	1	0	0	3	3	1	81	77	4	0	0	50.00	7.50	493
495	Rockingham (26)	Rockingham	Richmond	13	9	9	6	2	0	0	1	4	2	221	231	0	10	5	60.00	15.00	495
496	Mooresville (45)	Mooresville	Iredell	4	6	8	1	1	0	0	0	1	3	179	185	0	6	0	50.00	10.00	496
497	Royal Hart (20)	Littleton	Warren	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	92	89	3	0	1	35.00	7.50	497
498	Ayden (5)	Ayden	Pitt	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	126	125	1	0	0	30.00	11.00	498
499	Creedmoor (32)	Creedmoor	Granville	4	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	51	51	0	0	0	35.00	7.50	499
500	Raleigh (23)	Raleigh	Wake	4	4	5	1	0	0	0	1	2	4	215	214	1	0	0	75.00	15.00	500
501	Red Springs (12)	Red Springs	Robeson	2	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	2	6	139	134	5	0	2	35.00	7.50	501
502	Cookville (44)	Near Henry §	Catawba	6	4	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	79	83	0	4	0	35.00	5.00	502
505	Cherryville (42)	Cherryville	Gaston	4	6	11	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	220	225	0	5	2	65.00	10.00	505
509	Belhaven (4)	Belhaven	Beaufort	3	5	5	1	4	0	0	5	1	4	138	138	0	0	0	50.00	10.00	509
515	Whetstone (42)	Bessemer City	Gaston	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	110	106	4	0	2	50.00	7.50	515
516	Aulander (2)	Aulander	Bertie	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	55	54	1	0	0	30.00	10.00	516
517	Farmville (5)	Farmville	Pitt	2	2	2	1	0	0	0	4	2	6	138	129	9	0	1	50.00	12.50	517
519	Widow's Son (20)	Roanoke Rapids	Halifax	4	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	212	209	3	0	1	75.00	10.00	519
520	Fairfield (4)	Fairfield	Hyde	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	55	55	0	0	0	35.00	6.00	520
521	Manteo (3)	Manteo	Dare	8	4	4	1	6	0	0	11	5	8	359	346	13	0	2	50.00	20.00	521
524	Pendleton (19)	Pendleton	Northampton	9	9	9	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	107	113	0	6	1	35.00	8.00	524
525	Rodgers (17)	Middlesex	Nash	3	6	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	54	59	0	5	1	40.00	7.50	525
527	Lucama (17)	Lucama	Wilson	4	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	79	77	2	0	0	35.00	10.00	527
528	Fairmont (12)	Fairmont	Robeson	6	5	4	3	1	0	0	1	2	1	146	150	0	4	1	35.00	6.00	528
529	Andrews (58)	Andrews	Cherokee	3	3	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	4	130	130	0	0	0	50.00	7.50	529
530	Joppa (40)	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	34	30	26	11	1	0	0	5	6	12	953	968	0	15	2	75.00	10.00	530
532	Hamlet (26)	Hamlet	Richmond	5	3	2	0	2	0	0	1	2	9	222	214	8	0	2	50.00	15.00	532
534	Camp Call (43)	Shelby, Rt. 5	Cleveland	5	7	7	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	105	111	0	6	1	35.00	6.00	534
535	Hollis (52)	Hollis	Rutherford	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	1	83	81	2	0	0	30.00	5.00	535
538	Williams (39)	Cornelius	Mecklenburg	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	81	82	0	1	1	35.00	10.00	538

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542 Corinthian (34)	Greensboro	Guilford	5	4	4	2	0	0	0	4	2	11	502	491	11	0	1	75.00	8.00	542
543 Spencer (37)	Spencer	Rowan	4	5	5	0	0	0	0	1	1	4	256	255	1	0	1	75.00	8.00	543
544 Mount Holly (41)	Mount Holly	Gaston	2	1	2	0	2	1	0	1	0	4	193	191	2	0	4	50.00	15.00	544
550 Roman Eagle (26)	Aberdeen	Moore	2	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	102	103	0	1	0	35.00	10.00	550
551 Glenville (57)	Glenville	Jackson	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	54	54	0	0	0	35.00	10.00	551
552 Revolution (34)	Greensboro	Guilford	16	17	17	1	1	0	0	11	2	9	613	610	3	0	0	75.00	8.00	552
554 Vesper (51)	Spruce Pine	Mitchell	3	4	4	2	1	0	0	4	1	2	178	178	0	0	0	50.00	10.00	554
555 Elise (25)	Robbins	Moore	8	5	6	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	132	137	0	5	5	50.00	6.00	555
556 Neill S. Stewart (13)	Erwin	Harnett	5	6	5	1	0	0	0	0	3	4	169	168	1	0	2	50.00	10.00	556
558 Ararat (47)	Ararat	Surry	5	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	28	30	0	2	0	35.00	5.00	558
561 Swannanoa (54)	Swannanoa	Buncombe	5	5	7	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	133	142	0	9	0	50.00	10.00	561
562 Waxhaw (27)	Waxhaw	Union	4	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	89	89	0	0	0	30.00	5.00	562
563 Tabor (11)	Tabor City	Columbus	5	4	5	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	130	136	0	6	3	60.00	10.00	563
564 Richlands (8)	Richlands	Onslow	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	2	0	5	84	81	3	0	0	40.00	10.00	564
565 Wendell (22)	Wendell	Wake	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	94	93	1	0	0	50.00	12.50	565
568 Doric (7)	New Bern	Craven	13	12	12	1	11	0	0	16	5	8	542	537	5	0	2	50.00	10.00	568
569 Mount Pleasant (17)	Bailey, Rt. 1	Nash	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	35	36	0	1	0	30.00	7.50	569
571 Snow Creek (45)	Statesville, Rt. 5	Iredell	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	61	60	1	0	0	30.00	5.00	571
573 Mount Pleasant (48)	Champion	Wilkes	2	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	111	112	0	1	0	30.00	7.50	573
576 Andrew Jackson (37)	Salisbury	Rowan	5	3	2	1	0	0	0	2	1	4	319	315	4	0	0	75.00	15.00	576
578 Meadow Branch (27)	Wingate	Union	4	4	4	1	4	0	0	5	1	0	69	72	0	3	0	30.00	7.00	578
579 Casar (43)	Casar	Cleveland	6	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	71	71	0	0	0	40.00	10.00	579
583 Ionic (7)	Cove City	Craven	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	89	88	1	0	0	35.00	10.00	583
584 Apex (24)	Apex	Wake	4	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	80	81	0	1	0	40.00	10.00	584
585 Roseboro (14)	Roseboro	Sampson	9	8	6	1	0	0	0	2	9	3	101	94	7	0	0	50.00	8.00	585
589 Bethel (5)	Bethel	Pitt	3	3	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	55	58	0	3	0	35.00	12.00	589
590 Lowell (41)	Lowell	Gaston	8	11	11	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	238	247	0	9	1	36.00	6.00	590
592 Maiden (44)	Maiden	Catawba	6	9	10	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	135	141	0	6	4	42.50	10.00	592
593 Stony Point (45)	Stony Point	Alexander	5	5	4	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	84	84	0	0	0	35.00	7.00	593
594 Ashe (49)	West Jefferson	Ashe	2	3	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	100	103	0	3	0	50.00	7.00	594
595 Wallace (9)	Wallace	Duplin	4	5	5	0	3	0	0	5	2	6	194	189	5	0	2	50.00	10.00	595
596 Waccamaw (11)	Bolton	Columbus	2	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	90	91	0	1	0	50.00	12.00	596
598 Cranberry (51)	Elk Park	Avery	7	8	8	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	133	138	0	5	0	35.00	10.00	598
602 Queen City (18)	Rocky Mount	Nash	8	10	8	1	2	0	0	5	24	6	294	270	24	0	7	50.00	9.00	602

605	Jeff L. Nelson (55)	Tryon	Polk	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	79	77	2	0	2	50.00	12.00	605
606	Riverside (44)	Catawba	Catawba	9	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	117	120	0	3	0	40.00	10.00	606
607	Chadbourn (11)	Chadbourn	Columbus	5	4	2	1	0	0	0	3	1	2	87	84	3	0	0	50.00	10.00	607
609	Zebulon (22)	Zebulon	Wake	8	3	2	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	113	115	0	2	0	35.00	15.00	609
612	Atkinson (10)	Atkinson	Pender	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	69	69	0	0	0	35.00	8.00	612
613	Home (16)	Fremont	Wayne	6	5	5	0	0	0	0	2	0	4	68	67	1	0	0	30.00	12.50	613
616	Round Peak (47)	Mt. Airy, Rt. 3	Surry	3	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	125	123	2	0	0	30.00	5.00	616
617	St. Patrick's (15)	Princeton	Johnston	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	61	62	0	1	0	35.00	10.00	617
618	Union (38)	Midland	Cabarrus	7	9	9	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	133	139	0	6	3	40.00	8.00	618
624	John H. Mills (21)	Epsom §	Franklin	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	54	55	0	1	1	35.00	10.00	624
626	Cannon Memorial (38)	Kannapolis	Cabarrus	25	23	23	0	0	0	0	9	2	8	552	556	0	4	8	45.00	8.00	626
627	Belmont (41)	Belmont	Gaston	3	7	7	0	0	0	0	7	2	5	278	271	7	0	1	50.00	12.00	627
629	Walnut Cove (33)	Walnut Cove	Stokes	3	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	115	117	0	2	2	35.00	7.50	629
630	Francis S. Packard (21)	Norlina	Warren	5	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	84	85	0	1	0	35.00	10.00	630
634	Goldsboro (16)	Goldsboro	Wayne	9	3	7	1	0	0	0	6	3	5	274	268	6	0	1	50.00	8.00	634
637	Yadkin Falls (28)	Badin	Stanly	3	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	107	107	0	0	0	50.00	7.50	637
643	Proctorville (12)	Proctorville	Robeson	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	56	52	4	0	0	50.00	10.00	643
646	Bladen (11)	Elizabethtown	Bladen	3	4	4	3	0	0	0	0	1	1	120	125	0	5	1	60.00	10.00	646
650	John A. Nichols (54)	Asheville	Buncombe	5	5	6	1	3	0	0	6	0	6	243	241	2	0	0	60.00	10.00	650
654	Elberta (26)	West End	Moore	3	3	4	0	0	0	0	4	0	2	78	76	2	0	0	35.00	8.00	654
656	Guilford (34)	Greensboro	Guilford	7	7	7	2	3	0	0	13	1	9	434	423	11	0	0	75.00	15.00	656
657	Keller Memorial (37)	Rockwell	Rowan	3	3	3	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	128	130	0	2	0	35.00	10.00	657
658	Beulaville (9)	Beulaville	Duplin	5	4	3	1	0	0	0	3	0	2	109	108	1	0	0	35.00	10.00	658
663	Black Mountain (54)	Black Mountain	Buncombe	8	10	10	2	0	0	0	0	2	2	169	177	0	8	0	50.00	7.50	663
664	Garland (14)	Garland	Sampson	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	61	61	0	0	0	50.00	12.00	664
665	West Asheville (54)	Asheville	Buncombe	7	9	9	2	1	0	0	0	4	7	310	311	0	1	0	60.00	10.00	665
667	Fort Bragg (13)	Fort Bragg	Cumberland	31	32	30	7	8	†1	0	20	19	5	460	461	0	1	8	60.00	15.00	667
668	Holland Memorial (42)	Gastonia	Gaston	12	12	11	1	2	2	0	15	1	1	402	397	5	0	4	60.00	6.00	668
669	Kernersville (35)	Kernersville	Forsyth	3	4	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	125	130	0	5	0	50.00	10.00	669
670	Lovelady (44)	Valdese	Burke	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	152	151	1	0	1	65.00	6.00	670
672	Robbinsville (58)	Robbinsville	Graham	7	8	7	0	3	0	0	0	6	5	146	145	1	0	3	50.00	20.00	672
673	Spindale (52)	Spindale	Rutherford	3	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	159	160	0	1	1	50.00	6.00	673
674	Acacia (36)	High Point	Guilford	5	5	6	3	3	0	0	3	7	5	378	375	3	0	0	75.00	15.00	674
675	Washington (4)	Washington	Beaufort	6	6	5	1	2	0	0	0	0	4	190	194	0	4	0	50.00	10.00	675
676	Temple (40)	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	15	14	18	1	3	0	0	11	6	7	600	598	2	0	2	75.00	10.00	676
677	Warsaw (9)	Warsaw	Duplin	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	1	2	3	102	98	4	0	0	50.00	20.00	677
678	Providence (3)	Columbia	Tyrrell	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	103	102	1	0	0	50.00	10.00	678
679	Creasy Proctor (13)	Fayetteville	Cumberland	23	23	23	6	2	0	0	9	24	3	384	379	5	0	7	50.00	9.00	679
680	Semper Fidelis (8)	Jacksonville	Onslow	24	26	26	0	0	0	0	8	5	1	373	385	0	12	1	50.00	15.00	680
681	Piedmont (36)	High Point	Guilford	3	2	2	1	0	0	0	2	5	1	198	193	5	0	0	75.00	15.00	681
683	Rolesville (22)	Rolesville	Wake	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	62	57	5	0	0	50.00	25.00	683
684	Ahoskie (2)	Ahoskie	Hertford	7	7	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	131	137	0	6	1	50.00	10.00	684
685	Pioneer (35)	Winston-Salem	Forsyth	4	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	236	237	0	1	0	75.00	10.00	685
686	Angier (24)	Angier	Harnett	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	90	86	4	0	1	50.00	10.00	686
687	Fellowship (31)	Durham	Durham	6	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	180	183	0	3	1	60.00	10.00	687
688	Cherry Point (7)	Havelock	Craven	16	16	13	5	0	0	0	0	2	0	301	317	0	16	2	50.00	12.00	688
689	Scotland Neck (20)	Scotland Neck	Halifax	4	4	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	4	110	110	0	0	0	40.00	10.00	689

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690 Mount Moriah (45)	Statesville	Iredell	9	5	6	2	1	0	0	0	1	2	127	133	0	6	1	60.00	9.00	690
691 Renfro (47)	Mount Airy	Surry	7	6	5	1	0	0	0	1	2	4	144	143	1	0	0	60.00	12.50	691
692 East Gate (40)	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	25	24	23	7	2	0	0	13	6	6	321	328	0	7	0	75.00	10.00	692
693 Charles M. Setzer (40	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	15	15	15	5	0	0	0	1	3	3	285	298	0	13	2	75.00	10.00	693
694 Gate City (34)	Greensboro	Guilford	12	15	15	2	0	0	0	0	1	2	174	188	0	14	1	75.00	10.00	694
695 Allen-Graham (38)	Kannapolis	Cabarrus	7	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	181	184	0	3	0	45.00	8.00	695
696 Memorial (36)	Lexington	Davidson	4	6	6	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	157	160	0	3	2	50.00	10.00	696
697 Butner (32)	Butner	Granville	5	4	4	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	48	54	0	6	0	35.00	10.00	697
698 Cape Hatteras (3)	Buxton	Dare	7	9	10	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	80	92	0	12	0	50.00	15.00	698
699 Asheboro (29)	Asheboro	Randolph	13	12	11	1	1	0	0	2	1	0	125	135	0	10	1	50.00	10.00	699
700 Friendship (40)	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	17	16	15	1	1	0	0	5	0	1	192	203	0	11	0	75.00	10.00	700
701 Garner (23)	Garner	Wake	10	7	7	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	127	132	0	5	1	75.00	15.00	701
702 St. Andrew (40)	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	15	14	15	2	1	0	0	3	0	3	178	190	0	12	5	75.00	10.00	702
703 Albemarle (28)	Albemarle	Stanly	8	10	7	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	93	99	0	6	2	60.00	10.00	703
704 King Solomon (42)	Gastonia	Gaston	2	3	3	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	74	74	0	0	0	60.00	6.00	704
705 Richard Caswell (6)	Kinston	Lenoir	11	10	10	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	107	115	0	8	2	50.00	20.00	705
706 Newport (8)	Newport	Carteret	2	3	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	89	94	0	5	1	50.00	8.00	706
707 Forsyth (35)	Winston-Salem	Forsyth	9	10	11	2	0	0	0	3	0	1	106	115	0	9	0	75.00	12.50	707
708 Crown Point (5)	Greenville	Pitt	8	8	5	4	0	0	0	0	1	1	100	107	0	7	0	50.00	10.00	708
709 Conover (44)	Conover	Catawba	4	4	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	65	67	0	2	1	50.00	10.00	709
710 Advance (46)	Advance	Davie	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	30	30	0	0	0	30.00	10.00	710
711 Piedmont (35)	Winston-Salem	Forsyth	10	11	11	5	1	0	0	1	1	1	83	97	0	14	0	75.00	12.50	711
712 Wilson (17)	Wilson	Wilson	5	6	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	68	72	0	4	0	50.00	12.00	712
713 McLurd (41)	Stanley	Gaston	2	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	64	68	0	4	0	50.00	15.00	713
714 Liberty (29)	Liberty	Randolph	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	44	45	0	1	0	50.00	15.00	714
715 Derita (39)	Derita	Mecklenburg	15	15	15	6	0	0	0	0	3	2	134	150	0	16	0	75.00	10.00	715
716 Hiram (36)	High Point	Guilford	5	4	3	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	76	74	2	0	1	75.00	15.00	716
717 Burnsville (53)	Burnsville	Yancey	7	7	4	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	59	64	0	5	3	50.00	10.00	717
718 Troy (28)	Troy	Montgomery	15	14	14	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	81	95	0	14	1	35.00	10.00	718
719 Horse Creek (55)	Columbus	Polk	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	41	41	0	0	0	50.00	10.00	719
720 Cabarrus (38)	Concord	Cabarrus	11	12	14	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	82	94	0	12	2	50.00	15.00	720
721 Burlington (30)	Burlington	Alamance	12	12	12	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	57	71	0	14	2	75.00	20.00	721
722 King (35)	King	Stokes	9	11	8	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	56	65	0	9	1	50.00	20.00	722
723 Winton (2)	Winton	Hertford	3	2	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	28	31	0	3	1	30.00	10.00	723

724	Berne (7)	New Bern	Craven	12	14	14	5	0	1	0	0	1	1	51	67	0	16	1	50.00	10.00	724
725	Grantham (7)	Granthams, No. 7 Township, New Bern	Craven	12	14	14	3	2	0	0	2	0	1	47	63	0	16	4	50.00	10.00	725
726	Keystone (40)	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	6	5	5	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	45	53	0	8	0	75.00	10.00	726
727	Shallotte (11)	Shallotte	Brunswick	7	5	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	42	46	0	4	8	75.00	10.00	727
728	Meridian (40)	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	16	16	12	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	48	66	0	18	1	75.00	10.00	728
729	Twin County (18)	Rocky Mount	Nash	6	2	2	31	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	33	0	33	0	50.00	9.00	UD
730	Stedman (13)	Stedman	Cumberland	11	8	8	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	34	0	34	0	50.00	15.00	UD
731	John Huske Anderson (13)	Fayetteville	Cumberland	5	0	0	61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	61	0	61	0	50.00	10.00	UD
732	Bush Hill (29)	Archdale	Randolph	0	0	0	36	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	36	0	36	0	50.00	12.00	UD
				2050	1976	1984	531	248	5	1	641	530	1142	63523	63967	595	1039	400			

* The 6 initiated in Yadkin Lodge No. 162 includes LEO LOYD MARTIN who was initiated on September 1, 1942, in Henry Clay Lodge No. 280, Dublin, Virginia. Jurisdiction over this Entered Apprentice relinquished by the Grand Lodge of Virginia (equivalent to Demit to an E.A.) to allow him to petition No. 162, N.C., for the remaining degrees.

† J. D. H. expelled Feb. 2, 1963, by decision of Trial Commission; however, since he was ENPD by Fort Bragg Lodge No. 667 on Dec. 4, 1962, he is not counted in the total number expelled during 1963.

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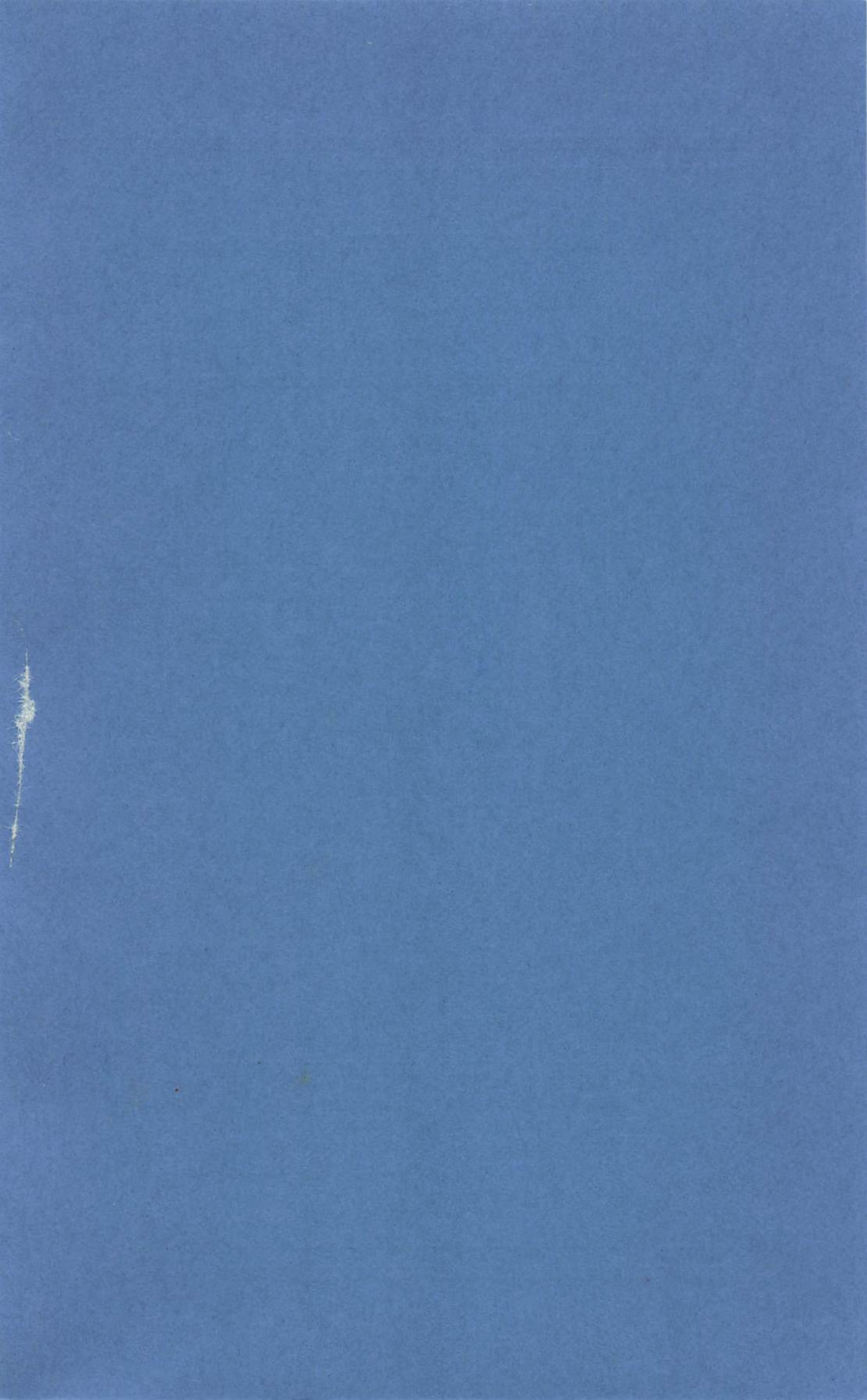
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PRESERVATION

Reg. 70-01 (2) All the lodge books of records and accounts, old as well as new, shall be carefully preserved under lock and key by the Secretary as safely as possible from the hazards of fire, water, loss, or mutilation.

(3) Proceedings of the Grand Lodge shall be preserved by lodges in suitable bookcases and under charge of the lodge Secretary who shall be responsible for their proper keeping. They may be loaned to members who shall return them to the lodge at or before the next succeeding stated communication.

Reg. 95-04 Each subordinate lodge in the jurisdiction shall keep copies of the laws of the Grand Lodge for the inspection of its members. It is the duty of the Master to enforce strictly such laws in the lodge over which he presides. The published Proceedings of the Grand Lodge shall also be kept on file and shall be conclusive evidence of all matters reported therein as the action of the Grand Lodge, and except as otherwise provided, shall be evidence of other matters contained therein. (28-01; 28-03; 102-22).

NEXT ANNUAL COMMUNICATION

The One Hundred Seventy-eighth Annual Communication of The Grand Lodge of North Carolina will be held in the City of Raleigh on the third Tuesday in April at 3:00 p.m., it being April 20, 1965.